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FLANK MOVEMENT.

Cuban Insurgents Out-general the Government.

General Campos Must Bestir Himself Else Havana Will Fall to the Rebels.

HAVANA, Dec. 24.—Gomez and the insurgent army have turned the flank of the Spanish forces commanded by General Campos in person at Colon and are now well to the westward of that place, threatening a quick movement upon Havana. This news from the front has created the greatest consternation here.

NEARING HAVANA.

The insurgents' army is now only about fifty miles from Havana and the Spanish authorities seem to have entirely lost their heads. At this rate the insurgents will be in front of Havana possibly tomorrow, if they have obtained control of the railroads from here to Matanzas, which seems not impossible, as they were only a few miles from Matanzas when last heard from and they were moving rapidly westward.

FIGHTING AT MATANZAS.

HAVANA, Dec. 24.—5 P. M.—A report has reached here that a battle is being fought this afternoon between the Spanish troops and the insurgents not far from Mantanzas. The report cannot be confirmed.

THE STOCK MARKET

Shows a Decided Improvement Over the Past Week.

Prices Go Up to Their Proper Standard and Remain There to the Close.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The stock market opened firm and higher on moderate dealings. London cables reported speculation there as being irregular. The local trading at 10:15 a. m. was of a bouyant character, and heavy purchases of the leading shares were made.

The bulls continued in control of the speculative situation at 1 p. m., and further material gains were made in the prominent stocks. The operations in bonds were very heavy and noteworthy gains were established in the speculative issues.

Money on call has been quoted at 6 per cent. all the morning. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange strong with actual business in banker's bills at 488½@488¾ for demand at 489¾@490 for sixty days.

Von Hoffman & Co. have increased their proposed shipment of gold on tomorrow's steamer from $250,000 to $450,000, and Baring, Morgan & Co. will ship $500,000 for the account of Kidder, Peabody & Co., of Boston.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—The stock exchange opened steady and continues quiet. Consols advanced half to ⅝ over yesterday's prices and Union Pacific and American railroads advanced ¾ to 1½ all round. But there was little business doing.

THE GOLD WITHDRAWALS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Up to 1 o'clock this afternoon the treasury officials had been advised of the withdrawal for export of $1,200,000 in gold bars from the sub treasury at New York. This leaves the true amount of the gold reserve $66,766,395.

PLANNED SUICIDE

But it Worked Only in the Case of the Husband.

Arno Karb and His Wife Go to Bed, Turn on the Gas and Prepare to Go Hence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The odor of gas attracted the attention of tenants in a building in East Eighty-sixth street today to the apartments occupied by Arno Karb and his wife. Entrance to the rooms having been forced, Karb was found breathing his last, while his wife was unconscious from asphyxiation. The latter was restored, but the husband died while he was being conveyed to the hospital. As the police suspected that the couple had planned suicide, the woman was placed under arrest. Karb was thirty-eight years of age and his wife is thirty years old.

Citizen Train.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Citizen George Francis Train today sent the following message to President Cleveland:

"MADISON SQUARE,
"Day before Christmas.

"President U. S. A., Washington, D. C.:

"CITIZEN:—I have elected you twice by "physicism." I will do it again if you will issue no bonds and throw the responsibility of the crisis on congress.
(Signed.) "GEO FRANCIS TRAIN."

Works Burned.

VICTOR, Colo., Dec. 24.—The Lawrence reduction works, owned by a company of which J. DeLamar is president, have been burned. Loss, $125,000. The works had been very successful in the treatment of low grade Cripple Creek ores and will be rebuilt.

Can Defend the Harbor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 24.—San Francisco can provide thirty-five vessels for the defense of its harbor in the event of war with England, provided time is given in which to put them in condition for battle. The Pacific steamship company can alone put forth a very respectable fleet and Spreckles can turn out enough tugs to cripple all commercial ships which would attempt to pass the harbor inside of the Farallone Islands. There are four big companies operating steamers out of San Francisco, the majority of which fly the American flag.

AN OPEN TRENCH.

Mrs. James Wells Dangerously Injured.

Grocer D. W. Bitner Kicked by a Vicious Horse—Natural Gas Explosion on the East Side.

Careless workmen were responsible for a serious accident which befell Mrs. James Wells last night. Plumbers had been at work making a gas connection with the mains at the corner of Holton and Creighton avenues, and on leaving in the evening, left the trench open. Mrs. Wells had been down town shopping, and on her return, passing by the place, failed to notice the opening and walked directly into it. She was unable to help herself and had to be conveyed home by pedestrians who discovered her painful predicament. She has not been able to move since the accident, and suffers much pain about the sides, back and hips.

COMBINATION OF MISHAPS.

A fractious horse caused Mr. D. W. Bitner, the South Calhoun street grocer, more trouble in a few minutes last night than most men meet with in a week. Mr. Bitner was arranging things in the stall for the animal's comfort, but the unappreciative beast was not looking for favors and kicked over the lamp. In his efforts to stamp out the flames, Mr. Bitner received some painful burns, and besides approached too near the horse, which was still kicking. The iron shod hoofs struck Mr. Bitner on the legs, inflicting several painful wounds. However, he managed to keep the flames from spreading and there was no conflagration.

A GAS EXPLOSION.

Residents of Eastt Jefferson street were awakened at an early hour yesterday morning by a loud explosion, and the startled people ran to find the cause of the report. It had proceeded from the residence of Mrs. Lucretia Bond, at 97 East Jefferson street. A plug in the natural gas pipe had blown out and the space between the walls soon filled with gas. The explosion loosened the weather boarding on the outside and blew the paper from the walls of the rooms. Beyond this there was no damage, the members of the family fortunately escaping injury.

Pensions for Indianians.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24—Pensions have been granted to the following citizens of Indiana:

Original—Edward Walker, Lafayette; John H. Washburn, Royal Center.

Additional—Gordon Bennett, Grantsburg.

Increase—James W. Wray, Eclipse; Alanson Washburn, Columbia City; Allen B. Shields, Headlee; Alexander Morehead, Marion.

Restoration and Additional—Peter H. Lightel (deceased), Fremont.

Reissue—Joseph Stough, Linkville; Geo. W. Watts, Indianapolis.

Original Widows, Etc—Minors of John J. Douglas, Quercus Grove; Lucy Sims, Indianapolis; Nancy A. Bowers, Normanda; Barbara Lightel, Fremont; Mary A. Mullin, Trenton; Emily Chambers, Indianspolis; Mary A. Wright, Fortville; Harriet M. Klapp, Plymouth.

H. N. Goodwin and wife, of Dallas, Texas, are in the city to spend the holidays. Mr. Goodwin, who has been connected with the American Press association, resigned his position and will leave for New York city Thursday to associate himself with Rest Fenner, Smith Co., manufacturers of umbrella sticks and canes. Geo. F. Seely is the secretary of the firm.

A very pleasant event was the party given in honor of the fifth birthday anniversary of Mabel F. Crawford, at her home, No. 69 Huestis avenue. Those present were Alice, Ethel and Lulu Byers, Mary Brunner, Vida Fike, Mamie Covington, Benitta Fox, Everet Byers, Arthur and Albert Lepper, H. Phillips, Brucklied Crawford, John Crawford.

Shell combs at
TRENKLEY & SCHERZINGER'S.

MUST PROVE IT.

An Assertion That Must be Proven.

Some time ago a statement was made in the Fort Wayne newspapers to the effect that every instrument in the Arcade Music Store would be sold before moving to our new store room, 109 Calhoun street. In order to make my word good, I must sell nine pianos, including the stock not regularly handled by us. By next Saturday night I don't want to be able to count one piano in our store. That's over two a day. Not much of a trick when times are flush, but as they are a little close I must probably offer some extraordinary inducements to close out these few pianos left. If you ever expect to own a piano now is your time. A small cash deposit, the balance made in payments to suit yourself. I have some very choice pianos in fancy woods left that must go into this sale.

ARCADE MUSIC STORE,
I. H. CASE,
Manager.

Trenkley & Scherzinger's closing out sale at 78 Calhoun street, ends January 1, 1896.

Gold Charms at **Voirol's.**

THE REVENUE BILL

May be a Simple Revision of the Tariff Laws.

High Protective Advocates Rush to Washington to Influence the Ways and Means Committee.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Much pressure has been brought to bear upon Chairman Dingley and the members of the ways and means committee today by members of the house and business men, who have hastily come to Washington for the purpose, to persuade them to broaden the scope of the tariff advances in their proposed revenue bill and to include other articles which have not been considered. They are invariably told that the bill is not intended as a measure of tariff revision; that it is an emergency bill to secure needed revenue and that there is neither time nor inclination to go deeply into the tariff question. There is a strong movement, however, that may possibly prove successful to have the schedule of agricultural products raised from the contemplated rate of twenty five per cent. more than the Wilson bill rates to sixty per cent. of the McKinley rates, placing this schedule on the same basis with wool and lumber.

The announcement of the committee plan by the Associated Press has caused the movement for a republican caucus on the bill which was pushed by western members to be nearly abandoned.

The separation of the tariff and bond features of the plan will give the silver republicans an opportunity to place themselves on record by voting against the bond bill and this, together with the proposed advance of tariff rates on lumber, agricultural products and live stock, practically satisfies their desires.

This morning the full ways and means committee held a formal meeting and adopted a resolution to have the president's annual message printed in mere routine matter. This afternoon, however, the republican members have another conference on the tariff bill.

FULL CITIZENSHIP.

Political Disability Removed From Ex-Confederates.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The senate today, without even dividing, passed the bill to remove the political disabilities of ex-confederates.

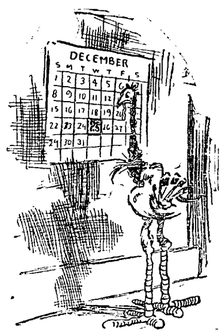
INDIANIANS FARE WELL.

They Get Good Appointments on the House Committee.

WASHINGTON, Dec 24.—Indiana fared unusually well in the make-up of the house committees. After the announcement of committees the Indiana representatives compared notes, and apparently were all well satisfied. The assignment of Indiana members is as follows:

Hemenway—Appropriations.
Hardy—Pensions; mines and mining.
Tracewell—Immigration; patents.
Watson—Indian affairs; claims.
Overstreet—Elections.
Johnson—Chairman elections; banking and currency.
Henry—Public buildings and grounds; education.
Faris—Pacific railroads; manufactures.
Hanly—Naval affairs; claims.
Hatch—War claims.
Steele—Ways and means.
Leighty—Agriculture; expenses of public buildings.
Royse—Elections; Mississippi river and levees.

HE THINNED NOT WISELY BUT TOO MUCH.



Ah, distinctly I remember,
It was only last November
That they chased me thro' the backyard,
And across the old barn floor;
Valiantly and well I fought me
Till at last the villians caught me
And proceeded then to trot me
To the axe beside the door—
But, ashamed they let me go for
I was bones and nothing more—
Skin and bones—and nothing more!

Now, I see it is December,
And, no doubt, they will dismember
Me, for all my many fat friends
Have gone to that other shore,
I've grown pale from apprehension
For of late some marked attention
Makes me think it's their intention
To cut off my legs and serve me
As a reed-bird from the store—
Just a reed-bird—nothing more!

—GEORGE V. HOBART.

Was Murder.

SILVER CITY, N. M., Dec. 24.—William Reed, superintendent of the Native Copper and Hanover mines at Lindermann, was found near the mouth of the former mine shot through the brain and his skull crushed. There is no direct clue, but two discharged miners are suspected of the murder.

Depew Says.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A local paper says: "The Hon. Chauncey M. Depew said last night: 'A bond issue will be authorized within five days,' said Mr. Depew, 'and I have not any authority for the statement. I get it from the air. Many good things come out of the air.'"

STORMS AT SEA.

The English and Germans Suffer Great Losses.

A Three-Masted Vessel in Distress—Two Life Crews Wrecked and Sixteen Men Drowned.

DUBLIN, Dec 24.—A large three-masted vessel has been seen flying signals of distress in Kingstown bay. A life boat which went to her assistance was capsized and her crew of sixteen men were drowned. A second life boat which started for the rescue was also overturned but the crew managed to cling to the boat which was finally righted. The fate of the three masted vessel is not known. Later it was discovered that the vessel was the Morseby and in spite of all efforts to save them, seventeen were drowned when the ship broke up.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 24.—The worst storm experienced in many years has prevailed in this district for two days. The telegraph wires are prostrated and shipping is at a standstill. Steamers arriving from the south report a severe gale from the west, and steamers bound down are compelled to seek shelter and wait for the weather to moderate. The prevalence of a succession of southerly and westerly gales has not only intensified fears for the safety of the missing Stratnevis, of the North Pacific line, but much uneasiness is now felt here for the British steamer Danube, which left Victoria two weeks ago to search for the disabled steamship.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Heavy gales prevailed today on the coast of Great Britain, and several small wrecks have already been reported. A schooner was seen to run ashore in the Tyne, near Shields, where it became a total wreck.

LOCAL LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wilson left today for Wabash.

John Berdelman will spend the holidays in Lafayette.

Miss Lulu Noll, of Chicago, is the guest of relatives in this city.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Weiler, of Columbia avenue—a daughter.

Miss Lillian Ash will leave in a few days for a visit with friends in Pittsburg.

Messrs. Neil and Lee Ninde will entertain the S. U. S. club this evening at Wildwood.

Mrs. Thomas Foster and Mrs. Fred Barchard, of Antwerp, were in the city shopping today.

The Hon. S. M. Hench returned yesterday from Bluffton, where he was attending court.

The Misses Frances and Lillie Cramer left this morning for their home in Fairbury, Ill., to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Conrad, of Canton, O., are the guests for several weeks of their daughter, Mrs. A. K. Zartman.

A Main street car ran over and killed a pet dog belonging to Father Oechtering, of St. Mary's church, yesterday morning.

Henry Roux, of Stryker, Ohio, will be the guest of his cousin, Miss Amelia Roux, of East Wayne street, during the holidays.

Miss Lillie Shordon, of the recorder's office, left this morning for her home, near New Haven, to spend Christmas with her parents.

The ladies' society, of Westminster, church will meet Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. C. B. Beaver, on Columbia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wiegand and daughter, of Indianapolis, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian, of South Lafayette street.

Miss Anna Yager, of Decatur, will arrive tomorrow and will be the guest of Miss Kate Fox, of Brackenridge street, during the holidays.

William McLeod, of A. L. Johns & Co., has gone to Canada to spend Christmas with his parents. He will remain until the first of the year.

The Everett & Doud agency yesterday sold to James McCullough lot 5, Foundry addition, for $1,500. It will be occupied by Mr. McCullough and sisters, who recently left the Leo toll gate.

Landlord Dick Townsend, of the Randall, desires to meet all of his friends this evening to exchange Christmas greetings. All who know the genial Dick will be sure of a cordial reception.

The cantata, "Santa Claus' Delight," will be rendered tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock by the Sunday school at the Grace Reformed church. Over forty children will participate in the program and chorus.

The Chicago Cycle show, from the 4th to the 11th of January, will attract a large number of cycling enthusiasts from this city. Over 100 Fort Wayne people have already signified their intention of attending. The show promises to be one of the events of the season in the windy city.

Messrs. Will Gouty, Marion Black and Will Peltier have returned to the city to spend the holidays with Fort Wayne relatives. They all report business very good and the outlook for the coming year very encourging, although the market is flooded with wheels of various manufacture.

Sterling mounted suspenders at
TRENKLEY & SCHERZINGER'S.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT.

True and Tried Recipes From a Good Chef.

No Reason Why Your Home Should Not Have Good Things—Watch This Department Every Tuesday.

[The recipes published in this department are furnished THE SENTINEL by Mr. C. L. Lachlin, the chef of the Wayne hotel.]

HOW TO SERVE CLAMS

Clams should be served on deep plates, covered previously with finely chopped ice. To have them sweet and fresh, they should be kept as cold as possible. Serve six on each plate with quarters of lemon.

BUTTER, MAITRE D'HOTEL.

Put 1 ounce of good butter in a bowl with a teaspoonful of very finely chopped parsley, adding the juice of half a sound lemon. Mingle well with a very little nutmeg, and keep it in a cool place to use when needed.

APPLE SAUCE.

Core, peel and quarter 4 sour apples; place them in a saucepan with ½ a glassful of water, ½ a tablespoonful of salt and 2 ounces of sugar. Cover and cook for about 25 minutes, or until the apples are reduced to a marmalade. Then strain through a colander, and and the third of a pinch of cinnamon, if necessary.

OYSTER SAUCE.

Open eighteen medium sized, fine Shrewsbury oysters and put them in a saucepan with one ounce of good butter, placing the pan on the stove. Cook for four minutes; remove half the liquid from the pan and add a pint of hot allemande sauce, then with the spatula mix lightly together without allowing it to boil, and serve.

BECHAMEL SAUCE.

Place in a saucepan 2 ounces of butter, add 2 tablespoonfuls of flour, and stir constantly for 5 minutes. Moisten with 1½ pints of boiling milk, being careful to pour it in gradually; then beat it well with a whisk. Add ½ teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, a pinch of salt, a boquet, 12 whole peppers, and a little mushroom liquor, if at hand. Cook well for fifteen minutes, and when done rub through a fine seive.

A BOUQUET HOW TO PREPARE.

Take four branches of well washed parsley stalks if the branches be small, take six one branch of soup celery, well washed, one blade of bay leaf, one sprig of thyme, and two cloves, placed in the center of the parsley, so as to prevent cloves, thyme, and bay leaf from dropping out of the bouquet while cooking; fold it well and tightly tie with a string, and use when required in various recipes.

VICTORIA SAUCE.

Pound one tablespoonful of lobster coral very fine, with half an ounce of fresh butter, then lay it aside. In three-quarters of a pint of allemande sauce, place half a glassful of white wine and six chopped mushrooms; let it warm thoroughly, without boiling, in a sauce pan, and then mix in the lobster coral, stir well, and serve. A few sliced truffles can be used, according to the quality of the dinner.

TO PREPARE BREADED FISH.

1. After the fish is pared, cleaned and dried, dip it first in milk, then in flour and fry in very hot fat.

2. Take very clean fish, dip it in beaten egg, then in freshly grated bread crumbs and fry in very hot fat.

3. For certain fish, like white bait, immerse them in milk, then in flour mixed with pulverized crackers; shake well in a colander and throw into very hot fat. Oysters are breaded the same way, but should be flattened before frying.

4. For croustades of rice or potatoes dip in beaten egg and roll in fresh bread crumbs; repeat three times before frying.

COURT BOUILLON.

Cut up one good sized, peeled and well washed carrot, with a sound onion, and half a bunch of parsley roots, also cut up; brown them in a glassful of white or red wine, according to the fish; add to it any well washed pieces of fish heads, and a pint of water, season with half a pinch each of salt and pepper, boil well for 5 minutes, let cool, strain through a napkin or a sieve into a jar, and use when needed; always avoid straining anything acid into tin or copper vessels, to prevent blackening.

CELERY SAUCE.

Clean well, nicely pare and cut into dice shaped pieces, and then wash thoroughly in fresh water three roots of fine celery, using only the white parts. Lift them out with the hand so that the sand and dirt remains at the bottom of the pan, and place them in a sauce pan. Cover them with fresh water, adding two pinches of salt and half an ounce of butter. Put on the lid and cook on the hot stove for twenty-five minutes. Drain and place the celery in the saucepan again with a pint of hot allemande sauce; toss well for just a little while and serve.

CELERY, FRIZZLED.

Another and economical way to prepare celery for a side dish to decorate the table: Take only 1 large head of fine celery, pare off the green stalks and cut off the roots, reserving it for a delicious and wholesome salad; cut the stalk lengthwise into four equal branches, wash them well in cold water, then cut each one into pieces about as long as one's finger; by so doing, all the branches will be separated; with the aid of a small, keen knife, pare the thin sides a little, making five or six slits in each piece, starting from the top, downward, leaving half to three-quarters of an inch uncut; place them in cold water with plenty of ice, leaving them in for two hours; lift it from the ice water, artistically dress on a round glass dish, and send to the table. Celery arranged and served in this way makes a beautiful effect on the table, but requires a little patience in its preparation.

NOTES.

A pinch of salt represent 205 grains, or a tablespoonful.

Half a pinch of pepper represents thirty-eight grains, or a teaspoonful.

A third of a pinch of nutmeg represents thirteen grains, or half a teaspoonful.

WEDDED LIFE.

Several Young Couples of This City Enter It.

Michael-Ulbrich, Watt-Brown, Paschall-Pence, Jenson-Shober, Lapp-Bradley.

This evening at 5 o'clock occurred the marriage of Herman C. Michael, son of ex-Councilman and Mrs. Herman Michael, of South Calhoun street, to Lizzie Ulbrich, a charming young lady of Chicago. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wagenhals, only near relatives, Peter and Celia Ulbrich, brother and sister of the bride, being present. Mr. and Mrs. Herman C. Michael will leave for Atlanta, and on their return will make their future home at Chicago, where Mr. Michael is engaged in the drug business.

This noon at the bride's home, on East Lewis street, occurred the marriage of Miss Jessie Bradley to Mr. Charles J. Lapp. Mr. and Mrs. Lapp left for Upper Sandusky and other points.

A pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. August Brown this afternoon, when their daughter, Miss Edith, was united in marriage to Mr. John Watt. Only the relatives and immediate friends of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremony.

This morning at 10:30 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cutler of Oak street, occurred the marriage of Miss Kate Pence to Mr. Arlo Paschall. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives by Rev. Zartman, of the Grace Reformed church. The bride wore a becoming traveling costume of red cloth. Mr. Paschall is the bookkeeper at the City Carriage works. Mr. and Mrs. Paschall left at once for a short wedding journey.

At the Baptist parsonage Monday evening occurred the marriage of Miss Emma Jenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jenson, to Mr. O. L. Shober, the well known brakeman on the Pittsburg road. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. L Henson. Previous to the marriage the wedding party partook of a repast at the home of the bride's parents, on Wells street. Mr. and Mrs. Shober left for Mansfield, Ohio. They will spend Christmas with an aunt of the bride at Adrian, Mich., and will return home about the first of the year.

THIEVES IN PLENTY.

Another South Side House Broken Into, but Nothing Stolen.

A companion piece to the robbery of the Darker residence, Monday night, was attempted but a short time previously, not far from the place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Donivan, of No. 20 West Williams street, had been down town shopping, and returned about 5 o'clock. They entered by the front door and were immediately attracted by a noise in the kitchen, as of some one scrambling through a window. Hastily opening the door leading from the sitting room to the kitchen, Mr. Donivan saw that a rear window had been broken and a screen thrown down. No one was about, however, the burglars having apparently taken flight. Nothing of value was missing, the thieves having apparently been discovered at the commencement of their operations. None of the neighbors had seen anything of the men and there is no clue to their identity. The parties were, without a doubt, the same who a few minutes later went through the Darker residence, two blocks away.

William Smith and daughter, Miss Emma Smith, have gone to Peru to spend the holidays with friends.

That all the employes of THE SENTINEL may enjoy Christmas there will be no paper issued from this office tomorrow.

A handsome little baby boy has come as an advance Christmas present to the home of Justice and Mrs. Harry F. France, on South Calhoun street.

There will be a Christmas service at Trinity Episcopal church, corner of Berry and Fulton streets, Rev. A. W. Seabresse, rector. Morning prayer, sermon and holy communion at 10:45 a. m.

Miss Kittie Forrest, of Springfield, Ohio, is the guest of her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Willson, of Oakley street. Miss Forrest will go to Van Wert tomorrow to spend the day with other relatives.

A new Catholic church is among the future things in prospect at Huntington. It is said that Messrs. Roche will contribute nearly, if not quite all, of the expenses of erecting the new edifice, which will cost in the neighborhood of $50,000.

Silver Tea Sets at **Voirol's.**

UNDER CONDITIONS.

Mr. Everett Can Have a Street Railway Franchise.

Denied the Use of Harrison and Baker Streets and Must Give Bond That the Columbia City Line Will be Built.

The city council met in special session last night, pursuant to the call of the mayor, which was read by the clerk at the opening of the meeting. Councilman Griebel was the only absentee, having gone away for Christmas.

The mayor submitted his approval of the following ordinances: Mr. Wolf's annexation ordinance, Mr. Tigar's ordinance providing for the maintenance of the sidewalks free from mud, the ordinance changing the name of Nirdlinger avenue to Swinney avenue, and the ordinance appropriating $20 63 to J. G. Lehr as commission on collection of delinquent taxes.

The department of finance recommended the appropriation of the sum of $3,393.64 to the department of law for the payment of divers claims against the city and for the transfer of some small amounts to the general fund.

The event of the meeting which aroused the most interest and in which the councilmen, as well as the crowd of spectators, were most interested, was the report of the committee on contracts and franchises, which had the Everett railway matter under consideration. The committee was divided and consequently there were two reports submitted.

The majority report recommended the passage of the ordinance granting Mr. Everett a franchise, and set forth a number of reasons for so doing. The terms of the contract, the report said, protected the public interests in many ways and would be of benefit to the people at large. It prevented a monopoly of the streets, it provided a three cent fare and provided for the sharing by the city in the profits. The benefits accruing to the city at large would more than offset the inconvenience to the people of Harrison street. For these and many other reasons the committee recommended the passage of the ordinance.

The report of the minority, signed by Messrs. McDonald and Sheid, was then taken up and read.

The minority recommended the granting of the franchise with a number of amendments tacked on, the principal points being the throwing out of Harrison and Baker streets from the terms of the contract and the exaction of a bond in the sum of $25 000 as a guarantee that the entire line, including the railroad to Columbia City, should be built.

The grantees were furthermore to file their acceptance of the contract within thirty days from the date of passage of the ordinance. A sum of $5,000 was to be deposited as evidence and guarantee that the grantees would have the railroad built and in operation in twelve months from the date of granting the franchise. On failure of the grantees to comply with the terms of the contract, as related to time for completion, the respective sums were to be paid to the city as liquidated and accrued damages.

At the conclusion of the reading, Mr. McDonald moved that the report be concurred in. Mr. Glenn offered an amendment, giving approval to the majority report. Mr. McDonald then addressed the council in support of the minority report. He urged the adoption of the report and gave a number of reasons why it should be done. Mr. McDonald said that the committee objected to the contract beause it was not to the best interests of the city. A franchise over the street is worth more than Mr. Everett offers. What we want is an inter-urban road, and we want to bind Mr. Everett to his promise to build one.

Mr. Everett asked permission to address the council, which was the signal for a brief war of words, Mr. Mohr and others contending that Mr. Everett had already been heard at sufficient length, and that the subject had received ample consideration. After considerable discussion the matter was finally put to a vote, and Mr. Everett was denied the privilege of speaking.

The mayor then put Mr. Glenn's amendment, but it was defeated by a vote of 9 to 5. The original motion, the adoption of the minority report, was put before the council and resulted in the following vote:

Yeas—Borkenstein, Fisher, Kelker, McDonald, Mohr, Scheid, Sommers, Tigar, Waltemath.

Nays—Glenn, Hild, Loesch, Wolf and Young.

The remainder of the business of the evening was gone through with quickly. The committee on judiciary and city attorney reported in favor of the appropriation of $3,393 64 to the department of law, and a resolution to that effect was passed.

A resolution introduced in favor of giving horsemen the right to speed their horses on Washington boulevard from Swinney park to Broadway, between the hours of 2 and 4, every afternoon each day, when there is snow on the ground, excepting Sunday, was passed.

Several committee reports were concurred in, and then Mr. Loesch presented for the second time his pole ordinance, which was killed at the last meeting. The ordinance, with a few modifications was read for the second time, when Mr. Mohr moved its reference to the finance committee. He explained that he was of the opinion that the committee could be able to determine a more practicable method of taxing the corporations. A few objections were heard, but the motion was put and carried.

Mr. Young wanted the council to consider Mr. Everett's proposal regarding placing the street car matter before the people for an election, but Mr. Mohr cut in with a motion to adjourn, which was carried.

FUMES OF LIQUOR.

Mrs. Blair Says a Police Officer Was Drinking.

An Early Evening Burglary on the South Side—A Minor Arrested for Drunkenness—Police Court.

The wife of William H. Blair, a prisoner at police court this morning, brought a charge against Officer Buechner which will probably bear investigation by the board of public safety.

Blair was arrested for drunkenness, and it seems that Buechner tried at first to take him home, but finding his charge rather obstreperous, changed his tactics and sent him to the station. He then went and informed Mrs. Blair of her husband's imprisonment.

Before the mayor, this morning, the lady said that the policeman was under the influence of liquor, "she smelt it on his breath," and furthermore that he acted in an ungentlemanly manner to her. His honor immediately informed her that he should cause her to be cited before the board to prefer charges at the next meeting. "The matter will be investigated," he said, "and if your charge is proven true, he shall be punished. It is too serious a matter to be allowed to go unnoticed."

In the meantime Blair was sent to jail for eleven days.

HOUSE BREAKERS AT WORK.

The residence of Mr. George U. Darker, at 79 West Butler street, was entered by burglars last evening between the hours of 6 and 7 o'clock. The cracksmen broke a window on the south side of the house and crawled through the opening thus afforded.

The theft was not discovered until Mr. Darker returned home in the evening. Two suits of clothing were missing, besides a diamond pin and a number of small articles of dress and two pairs of shoes.

POLICE JOTTINGS.

Frank Kress, a minor, was before the mayor on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was arrested at Kelsey's grocery, on South Broadway. His sister appeared and plead for his release, as it was his first offense, and the mayor released him on a promise of good behavior.

Charles Sindrum, an employe of the Meyers livery barn, was sent over for eleven days for drunkenness. He is suspected of stealing and pawning an ulster belonging to Charles Yobst, another workman, and a tour of the pawnshops was made, but the missing garment could not be found.

Jesse Felker, an old time drunk, was interrupted in the midst of a drunken row on Hough street this morning and slated on the usual charge. He is having a hearing before the mayor this afternoon.

TONSORAL ARTISTS.

Annual Election of Officers of Barbers' Union, No. 14.

Barbers' union, No. 14, J. B. I. U. of A., held their regular meeting last night and elected officers for the ensuing term as follows: President, C. F. Henker; vice president, H. P. Lauer; recording secretary, C. J. Steice; financial secretary, John Brunskill; treasurer, F. H. Schlink; guide, John Budde; guardian, W. H. Glass; trustees, H. Homan, F. M. Reaser, and Henry Gunther. An auditing committee was appointed as follows: Theo. Clark, Ed. Hagen and S. Errington. Two new members were iniated at the meeting, Edward Hagen and Joseph Futter.

POSTOFFICE HOURS.

The Postoffice Announces Them for Christmas.

Postmaster Rockhill announces the following hours for the Christmas mail service:

The general delivery and stamp department will be open till 10 o'clock a. m. The money order and registry department will be open till 10 o'clock a. m. The regular morning street delivery and collection will be made. Collections will be made at 6 and 10 p. m. from the hotels and Calhoun street boxes between the depots. The outgoing mail service will be as usual.

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It is absolutely certain to grow worse passing away for a time and returning, until before you are aware of it, an ulcer has formed and the beginning of the much dreaded *fistula* has been made and then, what was at first a simple case of common, everyday piles becomes an even chance between life and death. A surgical operation, with all its attendant horrors, uncertainties and danger to life, becomes necessary.

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From Mrs. Nancy W. Shaw, La Crosse, Wis.: I am more than pleased with the benefit I have received from the Pyramid Pile Cure, I needed but one package. I shall write you again soon.

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TUESDAY, DEC. 24, 1895.

TONIGHT.

MASONIC TEMPLE—Frohman's Company in "The Wife."
EMPIRE THEATRE—Vaudeville Entertainment.
CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT—Heidelberg Reformed Church.
FEEBLE MINDED INSTITUTE—Christmas Entertainment.
BETHANY CHURCH—Christmas Entertainment by the Sunday School.
CHRISTMAS TREE—Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church, in Y. M. C. A. Building.
LABOR ORGANIZATIONS — John Groof Lodge No. 67, Railway Car Men.
COLUMBIAN READING CIRCLE—Regular meeting.
STONEMASON'S UNION NO. 7—Regular meeting.
CATHOLIC BENEVOLENT LEGION—St. Julian Council No. 87.
AMERICAN PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION—Regular meeting in Harmony Hall.
LODGES—Darius Council, Princes of Jerusalum. A. and A. S. Rite; ery, No. 8, K. T.; Summit City lodge No. 2, D. of H.; Fort Wayne lodge No. 11, D. of H.; Elks' lodge; Col. E S. Walker camp, No. 159, S. of V.; Canton Fort Wayne, No. 17, Patriarchs Militant; Fort Wayne lodge No. 116, K. of P.; Rathbone Temple No. 31; Robin Hood Lodge No. 248, Sons of St. George; Indianola Lodge No. 311, Order of the World.

IT will probably be a "green Christmas."

THE SENTINEL wishes all its readers a Merry Christmas.

THERE will be no paper issued from this office tomorrow.

WE are having our January thaw this winter before January begins.

UTAH will come into the union soon after the new year has begun.

OVER in Ohio the saloons are compelled to close at 10 o'clock at night.

SANTA CLAUS will be here with the early morning hours, snow or no snow.

The unsightly poles of the city will not be taxed—at least not for the present.

THE city of Chicago has inaugurated strenuous efforts to capture the democratic national convention.

CONGRESSMAN BAILEY, of Texas, is not so bad as a humorist. He has introduced a bill prohibiting senators and representatives from in any way soliciting appointments to office. But then this is Mr. Bailey's first term.

THE war scare is dwindling away as rapidly as it came. Great Britian and the United States are not going to engage in a bloody conflict, when what ever differences that are between them can be settled by arbitration.

No EVENT in the history of the world since its creation was so momentuous as the birth of Christ. At this day, nearly nineteen hundred years afterward, the number of those to whom the coming of Christ to save the world is the most precious of all facts, is greater than at any previous period. Great conquests, great battles, great discoveries there have been, but none of them have influenced so many lives and influenced them so powerfully as this fact of the coming of God in human form.

THE owners of the 2:40 horses in this city are happy. The city council has passed an ordinance giving them the privilege of fast driving on Washington boulevard, from Broadway to Swinney park. When the snow falls that thoroughfare will be popular with the horsemen and the people who will gather in the afternoon to witness the racing.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Could the president of the United States, in time of war, if necessary, order the National Guard into service in Canada or any other foreign country?

FORT WAYNE RIFLE.

After the National Guard has been called into service, which would be done by the governors of the several states in answer to a requisition from the president, the men in it can be sent anywhere. This has sometimes been disputed, but it is doctrine that must prevail always.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Will you please tell me what, in brief, is the Monroe doctrine?

SUBSCRIBER.

A few days ago THE SENTINEL gave the words of President Monroe, as enunciated in his message, on this subject. In the briefest terms the Monroe doctrine is an American policy or line of guidance for governmental action which holds that the American continents must not be used by European powers as fields for the establishment of new colonies; that the independent states of the western hemisphere must not be subjugated or interfered with in regard to the form of government they may see fit to adopt by any European power; that the liberty of such American countries must be respected, and that they must not be oppressed by the powers of the old world. President Monroe declared that any of these things would be considered an unfriendly act by the United States and ever since his time that has been the attitude of the American republic. It is not claimed that European powers may not go to war with any American country which quarrels with them, or that they may not avenge injuries done to their citizens or possessions. But the United States cannot permit any power of Europe to acquire permanent control over any portion of the western hemisphere not in its possession at the time of Monroe's administration. Neither can this nation allow any country of Europe to force its forms of government, its institutions or its influence upon any American state, no matter how small.

AN EPISODE.

CHRISTMAS OF THE JOLLITY THEATER STOCK COMPANY.

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Three weeks before the holidays, and the outlook for a merry Christmas was a gloomy one, at least so far as the members of the stock company of the Jollity theater were concerned. Salary day had come and gone, and as yet the ghost had shown no disposition to walk, and it was because of the nonappearance of that most welcome specter of stageland that the rumor had started and was rapidly gaining ground that Messrs. Hustle and Hardup, proprietors and managers of the Jollity theater, were "in a hole again."

The piece which occupied the boards had proved a flat failure, and receipts at the box office had fallen in consequence to a plane never before reached in the history of the house. Moreover, no new play had as yet been put in rehearsal, and an atmosphere of unmistakable gloom and apprehension pervaded the region behind the footlights and weighed heavily on the spirits of every one there, from Pearl Livingstone, the talented emotional actress who played the leading female parts, down to little Kitty Sullivan, who was only 7 years old and was in the depths of despair because for fully three weeks she had been out of the bill. In short, every member of the company was in a condition of mingled uncertainty and curiosity in regard to the future of the playhouse and the projects of its managers, who as yet had given no sign of their intentions and had, in fact, been invisible to the members of their artistic staff ever since the last day on which salaries became due.

On this particular night, which happened to be one of storm and rain, two or three of the principal actors had gathered together for a serious talk about the situation, when Tom, the programme boy, appeared suddenly before them in an almost breathless condition and exclaimed: "Mr. Freelance is back from Chicago. He's in the office with Mr. Hustle. They've got both doors locked."

"Mr. Freelance!" cried Miss Livingstone, her face lighting up with joy, precisely as it does in her scene in the second act where her lover comes back from India, or rather as it did light up in that scene before the business became so bad. "Are you sure it was Mr. Freelance, Tommy?"

"Sure!" rejoined Tom, with emphasis. "I seen him meself when he come in."

"Then, Tom, you be sure and see him when he comes out and tell him that I am particularly anxious to see him back here as soon as the curtain goes down on the second act. Here's a quarter for you, Tom, and you'd better keep it as a curiosity, for it's getting to be a very rare sort of bird in the Jollity theater preserves."

"Thank you, mum," said Tom as he pocketed the coin, with a grin.

"I fancy I see a gleam of light on the distant horizon," remarked the venerable Mr. Borders in a tone similar to that which he assumes in the great melodrama called "The Ocean Blue," in the scene in which he is discovered sitting on a raft in midocean on the lookout for a passing sail. "In the meantime," he added, "I think we had better wait and hear what Billy has to say before we take any further action in the matter."

Up to that moment they had taken no action whatever, but the phrase sounded well, and so Mr. Borders employed it.

Now, Mr. William Freelance, called by his intimates Billy, was and is today one of the best known figures in the theatrical affairs of the town, and, as every member of the stock company knew, he had on more than one previous occasion come to the rescue of his old friends, Messrs. Hustle and Hardup, and that, too, when they were in even more deplorable financial straits than they were at the present moment.

It was his reputation as a mascot fully as much as his remarkable talents which caused the whole avant scene to brighten up at the news of his presence in the theater, for playfolk are notoriously superstitious and have an unbounded and childlike faith in the efficacy of a mascot as well as in the destructive qualities of a "jonah."

Just as the curtain fell on the second act Mr. Freelance appeared behind the scenes and received the rapturous greetings of the company. Then Miss Livingstone took him by the arm, detached him from the little group which surrounded him, led him gently but firmly into her dressing room, placed him on her zinc trunk, and standing before him with folded arms said, "Billy, what's going to happen?"

"My dear," replied Mr. Freelance persuasively, "everything is all right, and I just left Hustle for five minutes to come back here and tell you so. We are going to put on a new piece, and there's a part in it that's simply great—out of sight, in fact. We are not quite sure who'll be cast for the part because it's a very heavy emotional one, and if we put a woman in it who didn't know how to read lines she would go all to

"MR. FREELANCE IS BACK."

pieces and the bottom would drop out of the whole play. I thought I'd speak to you about it because Hardup has caught a new 'angel' and said something to me about Kitty Bracebridge"—

"If that wolf puts her foot in this theater"— began Miss Livingstone, but Mr. Freelance interrupted her by placing his hand over her mouth and saying: "Wait for me after the curtain goes down, Pearl, and I'll talk to you about it. Shadrach's waiting in the office, and I've got to give him a 'jolly' so as to get the costumes out of him, but I'll be back here after the last act."

In spite of the storm outside and the dispiriting atmosphere within the performance given that night by the Jollity stock company was a notably brilliant one, for the news had spread that there was to be a speedy change of bill, and hope was once more in every member's breast. Mr. Freelance invited Miss Livingstone ont to supper just as she was on the point of declaring that she would not go on again unless she received every cent of the back salary that was due her, and before they left the restaurant she had meekly agreed to study the great emotional role which had been intended for Miss Bracebridge and to say nothing more about back salary.

The next morning, in accordance with a call posted in the stage entrance, the company assembled to hear the new play read by the gifted Mr. Freelance, and such was that gentleman's elocutionary power that when he laid the manuscript aside expressions that ranged from mere satisfaction to rapturous enthusiasm were heard on every hand, and there was scarcely an actor or actress present that did not feel confident of a personal success in the new production.

The reading over, Mr. Freelance took Miss Livingstone, Mr. Borders and one or two other rebellious spirits aside, and, as he expressed it in a subsequent interview with Mr. Hustle, "stiffened their backbones" with the assurance that everything was all right and that the piece was to be done on Christmas eve in order that they might have a really merry Christmas on the prospects of its success. After that, he assured them, their back salaries would pour in upon them in a perfect avalanche.

As Mr. Freelance was leaving the theater he felt some one tugging at his coat, and on looking down saw little Kitty Sullivan standing beside him and saying, in earnest tones, and with a sad, wistful face, "Billy, isn't there any part for me in the new piece?"

The child called him by his first name because she had always heard him spoken to in that way by other members of the company, and Billy rather encouraged her in the idea because it sounded funny to him to hear himself addressed in such familiar terms by an infant of her size.

Kitty was a veritable child of the avant scene, and had been an actress from her very earliest infancy. She was now about 7 years of age, and was just beginning to comprehend the difference between the real things of life, such as houses, trees and streets, and the painted imitations of stageland. And yet it was only two years and a half ago that she beheld the ocean for the first time, and it is related of her that on that occasion she stood with Billy's hand tightly clasped in hers, watching the waves as they broke upon the beach, and finally turned to her companion and said in her serious way, "Billy, how do they work 'em?"

And now she was here beside her old friend, with her small, pathetic face upturned, and inquiring earnestly if there were a role for her in "The Giant's Causeway."

"See here, Kitty," exclaimed Mr. Freelance, touched by the child's grief, "I'll tell you what I'll do for you, and what's more, I wouldn't do it for any one else in the company. Are you listening?"

"Yes," said Kitty, turning her head around.

"Well, I'll write in a part specially for you, and that's something that an author like Sardou or myself rarely does for any one except a Bernhardt or a Duse. Now, run along and be here tomorrow at 11 for rehearsal."

The child darted away, wiping the last tear from her cheek as she ran, and Barney said approvingly, "That's the best deed you'll ever do in your life, Mr. Freelance, and, mark my words, the child'll bring good luck to the house."

How Billy succeeded in persuading the economical Hardup that the piece would prove a failure unless a child were introduced into it and how he contrived to write the part in for her that very night are matters that had best be left to conjecture, but the very next day Kitty received the typewritten copy of her lines, and rehearsals of "The Giant's Causeway" were carried forward under Mr. Freelance's direction with the energy and spirit that mark all of that gentleman's undertakings.

The opening night, Dec. 24, found the house well filled with an audience which made a favorable impression on the venerable Mr. Borders as he looked out through the peephole in the curtain, while behind the footlights feverish excitement and anticipation prevailed.

As for Kitty, she had become so wrought up over her role—the longest one she had ever been intrusted with—that she seemed in danger of losing her balance and forgetting every one of the lines that she had, by diligent study, crammed into her small head. She was standing in the first entrance, with her hand clasped in that of Mr. Freelance, when her cue came, and as she walked out on the stage, the ideal of childish loveliness, a murmur of delight ran through every part of the crowded house.

"They're going to foreclose the mortgage on the old mill tomorrow night, and if that child lives I am a beggar," said the polished, cigarette smoking villain, and then a youngster in the parquet set up a pitiful howl of despair, which was followed by a general ripple of merriment that might have proved fatal to the piece had not Kitty gone on with her lines with the coolness and gravity of the born and experienced artist, which she was displaying there by a presence of mind which won for her, on her exit, the first real applause of the evening.

Kitty Sullivan was, as the eminent dramatic critic had observed, an old hand at the business, despite the fact that she was but 7 years of age, for she had been born and brought up on the stage and was as much at home in the presence of a great audience as an ordinary child is before a nursery. As the piece went on she realized that she was making a hit—a far greater one than she had ever made before—and, young

HE FELT SOME ONE TUGGING AT HIS COAT.

as she was, she was enough of an artist to appreciate the importance of keeping a restraint on herself and not overdoing her role.

She was looking forward to a certain scene in the last act—a scene which she had rehearsed with much delight, and in which she firmly expected to make a great impression. Billy, who had been waiting with some anxiety for the same scene, came down and took a seat in a proscenium box, and as the child stood in the wings waiting for her cue she saw him smiling encouragement to her. The scene represented a barren, wave washed rock near the coast of Ireland, and on this rock was standing the virtuous heroine, just where she had been left by the villain. The lights grew dim, the moon arose from beyond the scene, and the Philadelphia quartet, stationed behind the scenes, warbled plaintive Irish melodies.

"Must I die here alone?" moaned the heroine as the tide rose higher and higher about the rock on which she stood and heavy clouds began to gather above her head. And just at this moment, a rowboat, propelled by childish arms, came swiftly around the rocky point at the left of the stage, and Kitty Sullivan, throwing aside the oars, stood up in the boat with her foot on the prow and exclaimed in a clear, infantile treble, "I have come to save you for the sake of old Ireland!"

Commonplace as it was, with its old, well worn melodramatic effects of soft music and moonlight, nevertheless the situation had taken a strong hold on the audience, and the sudden appearance of the sweet faced child, who had charmed every one during the earlier portions of the play, sent a distinct thrill through the entire house, and then came such an outburst of spontaneous applause as had not been heard in the Jollity theater for many a year.

Even Billy Freelance felt a touch of a magnetic current with which the atmosphere was charged, and might have

KITTY MAKES A HIT.

been heard to remark half audibly, "The kid's knocked 'em good this time, sure, for a thing's got to be good if it gets me."

And as the audience dispersed that night it seemed to Mr. Freelance, as he stood alert and watchful in the lobby, that there was but one name on every tongue, and that Kitty's sweet face and infantile art had made their way into the very heart of an always fickle public.

"You were right about her, Billy," said Hardup.

"I told you the young one would bring us good luck," said old Barney at the stage door.

"The idea of making such a fuss over a 7-year-old brat! That shows what art is coming to in this country!" exclaimed Miss Livingstone as she swept through the drafty passage, leaving an odor of scalskin, tuberoses and sachet powder behind her.

The members of the stock company had their Christmas dinner in the wardrobe room between the matinee and the evening performance, Messrs. Hustle and Hardup footing the bill and Mr. Freelance presiding, with Miss Pearl Livingstone on his right hand and the venerable Mr. Borders on his left. And it is a matter of record that no toast offered that evening was drunk with heartier applause than was the one proposed by Mr. Freelance to Kitty Sullivan, "the mascot of the Jollity theater and the founder of this feast."

JAMES L. FORD.

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Willie (aged 3)—Mary's day out.—Truth.

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STATE NEWS.

Reddy Mackey, of Anderson, proposes to raise an Irish brigade for war on Britain.

A cleverly worked game of alleged sprinters at Cambridge City is said to have cost a Richmond man $1,200

Coit Sexton, after eight years' absence on the Pacific slope, returned to Rushville to find both his parents dead.

While Lewis Russell, of Eagle, was absent buying Christmas toys for his litle child, the baby was accidently burned to death.

William Knight, of Elkhart, while standing in the doorway of the Big Four roundhouse, was caught and crushed to death.

George Henry, of Elkhart, a man of magnificent physique and a leader in his class, succumbed to alcoholism and died in a few hours

Three pupils of the Concord school, near Patriot, "hazed" the teacher, Prof. Eaton, inflicting injuries which are proving very serious.

Wiley Barr has been arrested at Lapel and sent to Marion to answer a charge of having forged his grandmother's name to a note calling for $128 65.

John Robinson, living on a shanty boat, at Vevay, swallowed morphine with suicidal intent. The drug made him sick and he eagerly accepted a stomach pump in relief.

The $10,000 damage suit brought by Edna Campbell against the wife, son and daughter of Dr. S. G. Irwin, on trial at Crawfordsville, terminated in favor of the defendants.

Gustav Breimeier, tool maker at the Plymouth Cycle Manufacturing company, will come home tonight on No. 8, to spend the holidays with his parents, of No. 221 West Creighton avenue.

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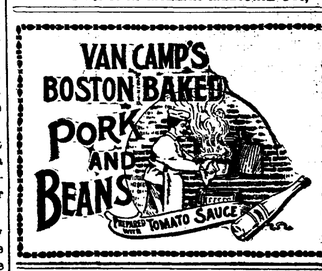

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A Lot of Prominent Railroad Men Who Were Trained on the Wabash—Local Gossip.

Engineer Tony Kelker, of the Pittsburg, is in receipt of sad news from Denver, Col. Last Saturday, David Kelker, a nephew of Mr. Kelker, was making his usual trip as engineer over the Denver & Rio Grande road, when the side rod of the engine broke, came up through the cab floor and knocked the engineer against the head of the boiler, where he was held by some of the broken pipes and machinery until he was scalded to death by escaping steam. The unfortunate man was buried at Denver yesterday. He was the son of John Kelker, master-mechanic of the Pueblo division of the Denver and Rio Grande road, who years ago, when the deceased was a lad, resided in this city. The bereaved father has many friends here who sympathize with him in the loss of his boy.

A GENEROUS DEED.

The Western Gas Construction company performed a very clever deed this afternoon when it gave to each of its employes a fine fat turkey and a quart of cranberries. It required nearly 100 fowls to go around. Such recognition from the employer makes the employe feel that his services are appreciated and he will ever afterwards look more closely to the interests of the employer, work harder and use economy in handling material. It pays to give presents occasionally.

WERE FORMERLY WABASH EMPLOYES.

Col. W. H. Blodgett, general solicitor of the Wabash, in a speech, at the banquet tendered Charles M. Hays, in St. Louis, on Saturday, gave an interesting review of men who are today high in railroad ranks, who did service on the Wabash. He said:

Today the traffic on over 38,000 miles of railroad—which is more than 20 per cent. of all the railroad mileage of the United States—is controlled by men who have grown up and largely learned their business on the Wabash. To recall them: W. F. Merrill left the Wabash to become general manager of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy; W. C. Van Horne became president and general manager of the Canadian Pacific; Roswell F. Miller, president and general manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; George W. Stevens, general manager of the Chesapeake and Ohio; C. H. Chappell, general manager of the Chicago and Alton; John M. Egan, general manager of the St. Paul, Kansas City & Omaha; C. W. Bradley, general manager of the West Shore; C. H. Ackart, general manager of the Joliet, Aurora and Eastern; Walter Marcum, general manager of the Denver and Fort Worth; K. H. Wade, general manager of the California Southern; George H. Nettleton, general manager of the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis; C. K. Lord, vice president of the Baltimore and Ohio; A. C. Bird, general traffic manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; H. C. Townsend, general passenger and ticket agent of the Missouri Pacific; John M. Chesbrough, general passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern; George H. Daniels, general passenger agent of the New York Central; L. M. Martin, general manager of the Iowa Central. Others have been called to participate in the affairs of government, both state and national. A few years ago a Wabash engineer (T. J. Hennessy) was called from his engine to become a railroad and warehouse commissioner of Missouri. And later a Wabash conductor (Joseph Flory) was called from his train to succeed the engineer. A Wabash man was taken from our shops at Springfield to become a railroad and warehouse commissioner in Illinois. William Kirkby, a Wabash conductor, has been for years the railroad commissioner of Ohio. In the legal department scores of our attorneys have been sent to congress. One (William Brown) left us to become general solicitor of the Chicago & Alton, and another (H. S. Priest) was made a federal judge. The present assistant attorney-general of Missouri (Morton Jorudan), the present assistant postmaster-general of the United States (Frank Jones), and the present assistant secretary of the treasury of the United States (Scott Wike,) were all Wabash men.

BRIEF MENTION.

Henry Waldo has taken a position in the Kerr Murray works.

Nickel Plate Conductor Brumbaugh is enjoying a holiday vacation.

Nickel Plate Brakeman Koepf has taken a lay off until after Christmas.

William Yates has gone to Burlington, Iowa, to assist in erecting a gas holder built by the Kerr Murray works.

A car load of machinery left the Bass works this morning for New Castle, Penn.

Car Inspector Frank Walpole, of the Nickel Plate, is unable to work on account of sickness.

Machinist Henry Riter, of the Bass works, is off duty on account of the death of a relative.

Albert Black, of the electric works, has gone to Albion, Ind., to visit his folks until after Christmas.

Benjamin Bowers has returned from Wooster, Ohio, and resumed his place in the Pittsburg lumber yards

George White, of the Pittsburg shop clerical force, expects to go to Cincinnati tonight, to spend Christmas.

The Pittsburg wreck car and crew was at Nevada, Ohio, yesterday removing the debris of the wreck there.

L. M. Hubby, who died at Cleveland on Friday, was formerly president of the Bee line. He was eighty-four years old.

J. H. Bedson, general foreman at the Nickel Plate round house, is suffering with a bad cold, which confines him to his home.

C. Wybourn, employed at the east yard tin shop, reported for duty yesterday. He has been visiting relatives at Monroeville.

Conductor Chris Stemen and Brakeman O. O. Spayd, of the Nickel Plate, reported for duty yesterday, after a few days' absence.

Miss Emma Bearbaum, daughter of the Nickel Plate car inspector, went to Chicago yesterday to spend the holidays with friends.

On Friday last forty car loads of mail and express matter were sent west from Pittsburg over the Panhandle and Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago lines.

The Panhandle will build a new station at London, Ohio, similar to the one recently built at Piqua. The estimated cost of the station at London is $10,000.

J. Cleary, boilermaker in the Pittsburg shops, received a telegram from Lima, Ohio, yesterday afternoon, announcing the illness of a relative. He left for that point last night.

Freight officials are of the opinion that the condition of the grain market is such that a slight reduction in rates east bound should be made in order to bring about a healthy competition.

M. B. Pratt, for thirty-five years a passenger conductor on the Cleveland and Pittsburg, has been appointed freight and passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines at New Philadelphia.

G. A. Jautz, of the Wabash tin shop, is visiting in Toledo.

William Donnell, of the electric works, was taken sick this morning.

J. A. Deegan, of the Wabash boiler shop, is in Chicago to spend the holidays.

Blacksmith F. X. Miller, of the Pittsburg shops, is back from Lima and is working again.

W. W. Olmstead, of Master Mechanic F. W. Morse's office, is visiting in the vicinity of Peoria, Ill.

John Unger, flue welder at the Pittsburg shops, is on duty again, having returned from Chicago.

James T. Donahue, office boy for Foreman T. J. Rodabaugh at the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off duty.

Frank Meyers and William Hayes, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, went to Chicago today to spend Christmas.

Mrs. R. J. Develin, wife of the Wabash fireman, went to Huntington this morning to spend a week with friends.

Louis Altevogt is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia and is absent from his usual place in the Bass shops.

Arch Lerch, of the Western Gas Construction works, went to Columbus, Ohio, today to remain over Xmas with friends.

Fred Armack has reeigned a position at the Fort Wayne Iron works and gone to Brightwood, Ind., to work in the Big Four shops.

H. Roembke, a coach painter in the Pittsburg shops, came home from Chicago last night, after a three days' visit with friends in that city.

Machinist John Nolan, who recently disposed of his saloon on Lafayette street, has secured employment in the Big Four shops at Wabash.

C. E. Ellenwood, a fireman on the Pittsburg road, is detained at home by the sickness of his wife.

W. S. Wells, machinist in the Pittsburg shops, is confined to his home on Park avenue by sickness.

Mrs. S. A. Escott, mother of the Wabash, fireman is in Toledo to remain a few days with relatives.

Pittsburg engine 182 went into the shop this morning for repairs. Engine 159 was repaired and turned out.

Pittsburg Engineer Mike Kirby went to Cleveland today to see his sister, who he had not met for seven years.

R. W. Baker is sick and J. H. Nybour is incapacitated by a lame arm. Both are Pittsburg freight car builders.

John Stein, foreman of the laborers in the Pittsburg machine shop, resigned last night and will leave the city.

John Murphy, of the electric works, is entertaining his sister from Toledo and has taken a vacation for that purpose.

W. K. Gillett, who has several warm friends in Fort Wayne, has been reelected traveling auditor of the Santa Fe road.

J. B. Oblinger, a car builder in the east shops, was injured yesterday while at work and will be unable to work for a few days.

Miss Lydia Doerman resumed her place in the electric works this morning, after an absence on account of the sickness of her sister.

George Wood, who was aiding in installing a plant at Nashville, Tenn., for the electric works, came home yesterday to spend Christmas

E. H. Porter, one of the electric works' construction men, came in off the road last night and will remain here until after the holidays.

Frank Opatz and George Schaefer, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, failed to put in an appearance today and it was feared that they were sick.

W. H. McGrath, mechanical engineer, who has charge of an electric lighting plant at New Orleans, is circulating among his Fort Wayne friends.

Howard Seibert, formerly of the electric works, called at that establishment yesterday to shake hands with the "boys" and wish them a "Merry Christmas." He was en route to Ohio to visit relatives. Howard is now stationed at Kendallville.

Gustave Rathert and William Goughty are new names on the electric light works' pay roll. They have been assigned to work in the metre department.

L. C. Asmunen, of Decatur, Ill., came here yesterday to work in the Wabash offices during the absence of Miss Emilie Tyler, the day telegraph operator.

J. J. Beugnot, who has been inspecting cars for the Pennsylvania company at Jeffersonville for some weeks, came home this morning to remain until next Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Miller and their daughter went to Chicago this morning to visit friends during the holidays. Mr. Miller is employed in the Pittsburg copper shop.

Foreman P. B. Bosworth, of the electric works, and his wife, accompanied John Woodward to Montgomery, Mich., today, to spend Christmas with the latter's parents.

Colonel Briant, of Huntington, this morning placed an order with the Bass Foundry and Machine works for a slide valve, high speed engine, to be delivered in three weeks.

E. B. Babcock, Pittsburg car inspector, had one of his feet bruised badly last night and will be unable to work for a few days. He cannot get the shoe upon the injured foot.

Henry Danmeyer, Peter Conroy, Joseph Carry, William Birely and Christian Bruns, who were on the sick list, reported at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning, having recovered their health.

J. Christie, J. Clark and A. Burchard, of the Pittsburg planing mills, and J. Pageler and F. Thompson, of the lumber yards, failed to make their appearance at their respective places today. They are probably sick.

A notice that the shops would close at 6 o'clock tonight to open again Thursday morning was posted on the bulletin boards in the electric works. The employes have been working overtime and the holiday vacation comes as a boon to them.

There are symptoms of a serious freight blockade on the Nickel Plate, every locomotive the company owns being on the move constantly. To complicate matters a little the Grand Rapids road yesterday delivered to the Nickel Plate two train loads of flour from Minneapolis, en route to Buffalo. There were sixty-three car loads of the flour.

HIS LITTLE GAME.

1—McNabb—Wot yer goin' to do wid dem Santy Claus togs, Jimmie? Jimmie—Nothin' much—jest a little idea uv mine fur de holiday season—

2—yer see dis Santa Claus gag comes in first rate in case de folks should wake up.

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SUITS, OVERCOATS, ULSTERS, REEFERS, Etc.

Look everywhere, compare styles, workmanship, prices, then come to us. You will buy here every time, if you do.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

East bound shipments of dead freight out of Chicago last week were 90,577 tons, as compared with 83 996 for the preceding week, and 39,877 for the corresponding week last year.

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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WANTED—A home for a girl seven years old. Corner Rockhill and Pritchard streets. tf

WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. See advertisment, front page, first column. 4-tf

WANTED—Washing to do at home. Will call for and deliver same. Call or address, Mrs. J. T., 149 Wallace street. 12tf

WANTED—Insurance agents. Two good industrial insurance agents. Fine opportunity for hard working men. Address, J. J. Beard, superintendent, 331 Main street, Lima, Ohio. 21 6t

WANTED—Parties to donate the following articles to the Y. W. C. A.: One step ladder, one door mat, few small tables, several new comforts, pictures, magazines, bookcase and rocking chairs. 10-tf

WANTED—An agent in every section to canvass: $4.00 to $5.00 a day made, sells at sight; also a man to sell Staple Goods to dealers, best side line $75.00 a month. Salary or large commissions made, experience unnecessary. Clifton Soap & Manufacturing Co., Cincinnati, O. a17-1y-wks

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FOR RENT—Suit of unfurnished front rooms, modern conveniences, at 106 East Berry street. tf

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house goods, etc. See advertisement first column first page. 19-tf

FOR RENT—A six-room cottage house at 237 Barr street. Inquire of Dr. Niswonger, 33 Calhoun street, city. 14tf

FOR RENT—House situated on West DeWald, near Calhoun. Inquire Rooms 27 and 28 Bank block, of A. H. Bittinger. 8tf

FOR RENT—On or before Dec. 18, dwelling No. 197 West Wayne street: modern improvements. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, No. 7 Court street. nv19-1m

FOR RENT—House 8 rooms, 326 E. Wayne street
House 7 rooms, No. 27 Broadway.
Store room, No. 26 Clinton street. 6tf

FOR RENT—Handsome storerooms in the Trentman block; being divided into 20 foot front rooms; rents very reasonable. Apply, No. 72 West Wayne street. 18-tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, second floor; will rent one or both to right parties cheap. Only two squares from court house. Apply at 105 East Main street. 21 2t

FOR RENT—Houses—Five-room frame cottage, 59 W. Main street; seven-room brick, 63 W. Main street, and seven-room frame, 128 Walton avenue. Inquire at 57 W. Main street. 11-tf

FOR SALE.

SHOW CASES } At Manufacturers' Prices, by G. E. Bursley & Co. 20-tf

FOR SALE—Money to loan on pianos, etc. See advertisement first page first column. 19-tf

FOR SALE—A Crane elevator as good as new. Suitable for a five story building. Enquire this office. tf

FOR SALE—A full line of grocery fixtures and grocery stock, stoves of all kinds and at all prices: come and be convinced, at 246 Calhoun street. nv20-1m

LOST.

LOST—A diamond ring, one stone. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to Elizabeth T. Burgess, No. 173 West Jefferson street. 24-2t

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Hours: 1 p. m. to 4 p. m. and 7 to 8 p. m. Telephone 670

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Christmas Present

Any lady will appreciate such a useful and beautiful gift as our

"Scovill's Gold"

Puff Box

AND A BOX OF

Pozzoni's Celebrated Complexion Powder

Pozzoni's is the ideal Complexion Powder—beautifying, refreshing, cleanly, healthful and harmless.

Both at your druggists or fancy goods dealers—50c or mailed on receipt of price. Address J. A. POZZONI PHARMACAL CO., St. Louis, Mo.

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ALWAYS SHARP SHOD WITH THE NEVERSLIP

THESE CALKS ABSOLUTELY PREVENT SLIPPING AND ARE

ONE TRIAL WILL CONVINCE YOU. Your horse being always sharp shod, is ready for work. His feet are always in good condition, and he is not constantly at the blacksmith's being sharpened, which ruins his feet, causing great expense and loss of time to you. Remember, once shod with "Neverslips" you can easily put in new Calks when needed without removing the shoes.

BE SURE your horse-shoer has "Neverslips" on hand; have him SHOE WITH NO OTHER. Send your address for descriptive circular with full information, MAILED FREE.

AGENTS: E. D. Kimball & Co., 233 Lake St., Chicago, Ill.

MANUFACTURERS: Neverslip Horseshoe Co., Boston, Mass.

REMOVABLE-STEEL-CENTERED AND SELF-SHARPENING

WE'VE GOT PLENTY OF GIFTS

That cost little, but will be highly appreciated by the Men folks.

You can't get anything for as Little Money that'll please 'em so well as a nice Scarf, Suspenders, Muffler, Umbrella, or Pair of Gloves.

You'll find a Complete Stock Here, and Qualities a little better than the same money will buy elsewhere.

CLOTHING HOUSE

Globe

Corner Calhoun and Main Streets.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair,

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.

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JAMES E. GRAHAM, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Abstractor of Titles. Insurance, Real Estate, Loan, Collecting and Rental Agent. Room 25 Bank Block, — Fort Wayne, Ind.

D. C. FISHER. Insurance, Real Estate, Loans. No. 39 East Berry street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

S. C. LUMBARD. Insurance, Real Estate and Loans. Aveline House Block.

BANKS.

HAMILTON NATIONAL BANK. Capital $200,000. Surplus $255,000. The Hamilton National Bank will pay interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum on certificates of deposit if left four months. President—Charles McCulloch. Cashier—John Mohr, Jr.

White National Bank. Capital & Surplus, $230,000. Pays 3 per cent interest per annum on time deposits. Safe deposit boxes for rent at $5 per annum.

PHYSICIANS.

DR. WM. D. RUHL. Office and Residence 45 W. DeWald St. Telephone 371.

DR. B. GARD—To ladies suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex, may consult me free of charge at my office, 13 W. Wayne St. Telephone 268.

G. W. BOWEN, M.D., Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office hours for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays, 9 to 12. Office No. 13 West Main street, Fort Wayne, Ind. Special attention paid to chronic diseases.

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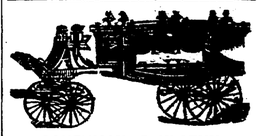

SCHEUMAN & KLAEHN, Funeral Directors and Embalmers, No. 39 West Main Street, Fort Wayne, Ind. TELEPHONE—For night call, Nos. 72 and 186; for office, No. 228.

Domestic and White Sewing Machines for Holiday Trade.

There are good, bad and indifferent sewing machines. It is the cheapest to buy the best: that means the new improved Domestic or White, sold at 19 W. Wayne street: also two cheap machines, the Stirling and Queen, the Stirling at $24.75, the Queen at $28.75.

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Cash paid for used Furniture, Carpets Stoves. Entire Furniture of hotels private residences a specialty.

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MAKE MONEY — BY CAREFUL SPECULATION in Grain through a reliable, successful firm. Excellent opportunities to make profits by our new plans. Fully explained and sent free. Highest references. PATTISON & Co., 609 Omaha Building, Chicago, Ill.

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In Vellum, Levant, Morrocco, Calf and Russia.

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Of all kinds, with Perfect Flat Opener.

The Binding of Rare and Extra Illustrated Books one of our specialties.

THE FT. WAYNE SENTINEL BINDERY, 14 W. Wayne St., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Have You Seen the new POZZONI PUFF BOX? It is given free with each box of Powder.

FREE DISPENSARY.

Open every day from 8 a. m. to 9 a. m. at the Fort Wayne College of Medicine, 346 W. Superior street. Medicines free to the poor. Patients too sick to come to the Dispensary will be visited at their homes.

The Pennsylvania Station.

Pennsylvania Lines. Trains Run by Central Time. AS FOLLOWS: * Daily. † Daily, except Sunday.

Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station Fort Wayne, Ind.

East Bound.	West Bound.
*3 55 a. m.	*2 55 a. m.
*4 40 a. m.	*9 10 a. m.
*4.55 a. m. From Chi.	*10 a. m. Limited
†7 10 p. m.	†7 10 a. m.
†7 45 p. m.	†11 40 a. m.
*9 20 p. m. Limited	*4 00 p. m.
†10 35 p. m. From Chi.	*5 40 p. m.

NICKEL PLATE. The New York, Chicago & St. Louis R.R. EFFECTIVE Nov. 24, 1895.

Chicago depot, Clark and 12th streets. Buffalo depot, Exchange and Michigan sts. Nos. 3 and 4 are local freight trains daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

EAST.	Arr.	Dep.
N. Y. & Boston Ex. No. 1	*3 55 am	*3 65 am
Cleveland Mail No. 4	†1 50 pm	†2 00 pm
Eastern Express No. 6	*9 20 pm	*9 30 pm
Local Freight	†4 20 pm	†12 30 am
WEST	Arr.	Dep.
Chicago Express No. 1	*11 55 am	*11 55 am
Chicago Mail No. 3	†1 05 pm	†1 10 pm
Western Express No. 5	*4 05 pm	*4 15 pm
Local Freight	†3 25 pm	†1 00 am

Nos. 1 and 5 through drawing room and sleeping cars for Chicago.

Nos. 4 and 6 drawing room sleeping cars through to New York and Boston.

DINING CARS serve breakfast and dinner on Nos. 5 and 2, and supper on No. 6. No. 1, supper at Cleveland. Nos. 3 and 4, dinner at Ft. Wayne. No. 4, supper at Bellevue.

Uniformed colored porters in charge of day coaches on through trains, insuring scrupulously clean cars enroute.

Baggage checked through to destination. For rates and other information call on or address

B. P. Horner, Gen. Pass. Agt., Cleveland, O.
A. W. Johnston, Gen. Supt., Cleveland, O.
M. C. Baker, District Pass. Agt., Ft. Wayne.

The Wabash Line.

SCHEDULE OF MAY 20, 1894.

GOING EAST.	GOING WEST.
4:48 a. m.*	8:05 a. m.*
6:00 a. m.†	1:35 p. m.†
1:15 p. m.†	3:30 p. m.†
7:12 p. m.*	8:20 p. m.*

Lafayette Accom. arrive 11:00 a. m.†
*Daily. †Except Sunday.

FINDLAY, FORT WAYNE & WESTERN RAILROAD.

STATIONS. Leave EAST.			
Ft. Wayne Mxd.	#3...8 15 am	9 45 pm	7 00 am
Haviland " "	11 10 am	3 52 pm	8 07 am
Cloverdale " "	12 40 am	4 24 pm	8 37 am
Ottawa " "	2 25 am	5 01 pm	9 15 am
Toledo (C. H. & D.)	7 15 pm	11 05 am	
Findlay "	8 55 am	6 45 pm	10 00 pm
Arrive WEST.			
Ft. Wayne Mxd.	#1...10 45 am	7 15 pm	5 00 pm
Haviland " "	9 30 am	6 07 pm	3 09 pm
Cloverdale " "	9 08 am	5 35 pm	12 40 pm
Ottawa " "	8 30 am	5 01 pm	11 05 pm
Toledo (C. H. & D.)	6 45 am	3 15 pm	
Findlay " "	7 45 am	4 55 pm	2 45 pm

Trains arrive and depart from Wabash station, Fort Wayne. All trains daily except Sundays.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

GOING NORTH.	LEAVE.
*For Grand Rapids and North	2.30 am
	3.15 am
	2.55 pm
From Richmond	6.55 pm
SOUTHBOUND.	
*For Richmond and Cincinnati	11.45 pm
	5.45 am
	1.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	7.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	11.35 pm

*Daily.
All other trains daily except Sunday.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY. Fort Wayne Branch

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 462 Way Freight	5 00 pm
No. 476 Chi. Express and Mail	12 [illegible] pm
No. 440 Detroit & Ind'pls Express	8 00 pm
NORTHWARD.	DEPART.
No. 463 Way Freight	10 [illegible] pm
No. 477 Chicago Express and Mail	11 [illegible] am
No. 439 Detroit & Indianapolis Ex.	[illegible]

MERRY CHRISTMAS!
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THIS IS
ROOT & COMPANY'S
Greeting
TO ALL.

WE EXTEND

Hearty thanks to every one in this city and vicinity for the largest patronage ever given in a Holiday season. - - - - -

This Store Will be Closed All Day Christmas.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO
THE PANTITORIUM,
To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 465 and they will call for your work.
16 ARCADE,
Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Last Friday the quail hunting limitation ceased, and until next November hunters must govern themselves accordingly, if they would not come within the arm of the law.

MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Opal Rings at **Voirol's.**

A quartet of lilliputians, composed of Count Magri and wife, Baron Magri, the count's brother, and Miss Quigley passed through the city yesterday, en route to Evansville. The midgets were entertained while in the city by Comodore Foote.

YULE TIDE GIFTS!

We are showing an elegant assortment of Holiday Presents that will please any man or boy in Fort Wayne. Look over this list carefully and then step in and see the assortment and prices.

Smoking Jackets, Gloves, Neckwear, Knit Jackets, Underwear, Plush Caps, Umbrellas, Jewelry, Collars AND Cuffs.

Boys' Leggings, Overcoats, Suits, Reefers, Mackintoshes, Jersey Coats, Corduroy Vests Hosiery, Suspenders, Mufflers.

ANY SUIT OR OVERCOAT
In our house, no matter if price be $18, $20, $22 or $25, goes now for
$15.00

SPECIAL!
We are selling juvenile books that are worth $1 00; to customers of our store for 19 CENTS. See them displayed in our cases.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.
TUESDAY, DEC. 24, 1895.

OUR TELEPHONES.
Business Office.....No. 173.
Editorial Rooms.....No. 650.

Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—For Indiana—Rain, probably changing to snow Wednesday evening; colder Wednesday night; colder in northern portion Wednesday evening; winds shifting to easterly.

NEWS NOTES.

There will be no classes at the Y. M. C. A. this week.

Tomorrow being Christmas the People's Store will be closed all day.

Mrs. A. E. Waterhouse and Master Ellsworth left for Chicago yesterday.

Mrs. W. N. Brudi, of the north side, who has been ill, is rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Goodman, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Mergentheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McDonald, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George DeWald.

Mrs. Oswald Stahn and daughter, Giralda, are home from Indianapolis to spend the holidays.

Messrs. Williard Collie and E. G. Davis leave today for northern Michigan to spend the holidays.

Miss Tillie Hoffman, of this city, has gone to Decatur to spend Christmas with her parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fisher leave tomorrow for a four weeks' trip in California.

The Bethany church Sunday school will give an entertainment this evening entitled, "The Light of the Christmas Star."

The Delta Sigma Nu have issued invitations for a dance to be given Friday evening, Dec. 27, at the Fort Wayne club.

Mrs. George Wilson, of No. 42 Home avenue, has received a large turkey and a fine roll of butter from Mt. Sterling, Ky., as a Christmas present.

The daughter of Henry Geerken, who has been sick for many months, was worse yesterday and Mr. Geerken has been kept from his duties in the Pittsburg shops since.

Mrs. William F. Graham, of 23 Van Buren street, left last evening on No. 8 for an extended eastern visit to relatives and friends, residing in Tyrone, Williamsport and Montgomery, Pa.

There will be an old fashioned Christmas tree and entertainment at Christ's Evangelical Lutheran church in the Y. M. C. A. building Christmas eve. Everybody invited. Admission free.

At the Church of Sacred heart, at Notre Dame, last Saturday, Rev. William J. Houlihan, of South Bend, and Rev. Thomas J. Corbett, of Newark, N. J.; were ordained priests by the Rt. Rev. Joseph Rademacher.

Professor and Mrs. C. T. Lane and small children left today for Jackson, Mich. Messrs. Elmer and Ralph Lane will follow them tomorrow and they will be the guests of Mrs. Lane's brother, Charles Bloomfield, during the holidays.

The street car company will run cars until 12 o'clock tonight to accommodate the holiday shoppers. Extra cars will also be run on all the lines, and ten minute trips will be reduced to six, in order that the people will not be compelled to wait.

Dr. E. J. McOscar has returned from Andrews, where he was at the bedside of William Greer, the well known Wabash engineer, who has been quite ill. The doctor states that the sick man is improving. He is a brother of Mr. Tom Greer, of the county auditor's office.

Miss Dollye Schafer, of this city, gave a most successful elocutionary and delsartean pantomine entertainment at Williamsport last evening for the benefit of the M. E church of that place. The patronage was very liberal in spite of the rainy weather and all left feeling well repaid for having braved the weather.

Melvin Brunner will arrive in the city tonight, to be the guest of friends during the holidays. Mr. Brunner was formerly cashier of the Fort Wayne branch of the Standard Wheel works and is well known and quite popular with our young people. He is now residing at Brazil, Ind., and engaged in the iron business.

The board of public works, at yesterday afternoon's meeting, received sealed proposals from the newspapers to publish the council proceedings during the coming year. Only two competitors appeared, the Gazette and Evening Post. The latter was the lowest bidder, coming under the Gazette by a bid of 6¾ cents. The Gazette's proposal was 9 7-10 cents. The board has the matter under advisement.

The Crescent Paper mill, at Hartford City, was sold under direction of the court by Mr. S. C. Lumbard yesterday. Mr. R. T. McDonald, of this city, was the highest bidder and bought in the mill and all fixtures for $19.000. The property is one of the finest in the country, but has had an unfortunate career. Mr. McDonald intends, it is said, to place it on a solid financial basis, and make it a paying property. A company of Fort Wayne gentlemen accompanied Mr. McDonald to Hartford City and attended the sale.

Oysters, Celery and Cranberries for Christmas.

Large Selects for Frying 27c; Standards, 20c.
Michigan Celery, large bunches, 25c.
Best Cape Cod Cranberries, quart, 10c.
Malaga Grapes, extra nice, lb, 18c.
Sweet Jamaica Oranges, dozen, 35c.
Valencia Oranges, dozen, 25c.
Malaga Oranges, small, 15c dozen.
FRUIT HOUSE.

Opal rings at
TRENKLEY & SCHERZINGER'S.

C. A. Munson, of Chicago, is in the city.

John E. Housh will return to Indianapolis tomorrow.

Tomorrow being Christmas, the Fruit House will be closed all day.

C. L. Drummond and family will spend Christmas at Huntington.

Mrs. Bertha Hunt is the guest of friends and relatives in Hartford City.

Miss Cornelia Wilding, society editress of the News, has gone to Chicago to spend Christmas with friends.

Mrs. J. S. Glenn and daughter, Miss Anna, of Huntington, were in the city yesterday, doing their holiday shopping.

Mr. Merch Baldwin will take the place of Willard Collie in the Nickel Plate dispatcher's office during the latter's vacation in Michigan.

There will be a union meeting at the Third Presbyterian church tomorrow morning at 6:30 o'clock, of all the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League societies of the city.

In the superior court this morning Judge Dawson refused to grant a new trial to Harvey Tracy in his libel case against THE SENTINEL. This case was decided in favor of THE SENTINEL some time ago.

T. C. Armstrong, of the Pennsylvania lines at Logansport, has a time table and book of rules which the Pennsylvania lines were operated under in 1864. He has sent them to Philadelphia to be used in compiling a history of the company.

The Pennsylvania company has advertised for bids for the reconstruction and widening of several of its tunnels, beginning with the smaller ones. The company wishes to build larger cars and locomotives and the tunnels must be enlarged before such equipment can be used.

E. A. Ford, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg and the Vandalia, on Friday had all the assistant general and district passenger agents together in Chicago Mr. Ford complimented his lieutenants on the good work they had done in 1895, the revenue from passenger service of the lines having been highly satisfactory.

Telephone your order for ice cream to F. W. Geller. Broadway's confectioner.

Order your cakes for the holidays from the Model Steam Bakery. A large assortment always on hand, made from the best materials, such as genuine Fruit Cake, Nut Cake, all kinds of layer Cakes, Lady Cake, Angel Food, Cream Puffs, Agglers, Almond Sticks, Fruit Sticks and Seed Cakes, Macaroons, etc. All first class grocers are selling Scherer's fine Cakes. 'Phone 398. 23 2t

Diamonds at **Voirol's.**

This Morning.

We received another fresh supply of Huyler's and Gunther's Choice Confections for Christmas.

A. J. KELLER'S
New Pharmacy,
Corner of Calhoun street and Washington boulevard.

For holiday presents call at J. C. Koegel, Broadway Jeweler. 30eodtf

Some of H. F. Schnelker's fine imported Herford cattle for Christmas beef for sale at F. Eckart's meat market, corner Main and Harrison streets. 23t2

Fort Wayne Club Members.

Don't forget to send acceptances, giving name and age of your children or wards who will attend the children's reception December 30

Invitations were mailed to every member a week ago.

HOUSE COMMITTEE.

Notice is hereby given to the congregation of the Church of Christ, (Christian church,) of Fort Wayne, Indiana, corner of Jefferson and Griffith streets, and to the elders and deacons of said church and to all other members whom it may concern, that an election of a board of five trustees for said church will be held on Monday, December 30th, 1895, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., of said day, at the church house of said congregation, on southeast corner of Jefferson and Griffith streets aforesaid, December 17th, 1895.

By order of the church,
18 21 24 P. J. RICE, Pastor.

No Christmas dinner complete without some of Geller's ices.

Call and see the Club Cycle Wagons at Randall Cycle Co.

Fine Clocks at **Voirol's.**

If you wish the latest and best authority in pronounciation and definition get the "Standard Dictionary." It defines 75,000 more words than the Century and gives all the leading authorities on disputed pronunciation. You can leave your orders at Lehman's Book Store, 81 Calhoun street. Those wishing to examine the work please address "Standard Dictionary Agency," Fort Wayne. 23 2t

Gold Spectacles at **Voirol's.**

A. C. AURENTZ'S
* IS *
—Headquarters for—
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CANDIES
The only Exclusive Candy House in the City.
A. C. AURENTZ,
18 W. Berry St.

For a Nice Christmas Present, Go to the Sportsman's Emporium, 58 East Main street, and select a Canary bird and cage.
JOHN TRAUTMAN,
21,24 Proprietor.

Watch, Clock and Jewelry repairing a specialty at 173 Broadway. 30eodtf

The finest ices at Gellers.

Use White Loaf Flour and your bread will always be moist.

Ladies buy their Pipes for Christmas presents at Belott's, 82 Calhoun street. 18tf

DO NOT FORGET
We are headquarters for Poultry, Celery, Oysters, Nuts and Candies for Xmas trade. Investigate our prices before buying elsewhere.
C. E. NOBLE & Co.,
No. 256 Calhoun Street.
Phone 441. 21t3

REMEMBER!
GLOBE MILLS
CREAM FLOUR
IS ALWAYS
UNIFORM AND GOOD

See **Voirol** before buying.

All flavors of ice creams and ices at Gellers. Order early.

Gold Eye Glasses at **Voirol's.**

Grand Ball and the comedy "Under a Cloud" by the Schroeder Comedy Co. at Schroeder's Hall Christmas night. Admission: Ladies, 10 cents; gentlemen, 25 cents. 23 2t

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Sterling silver curling irons at
TRENKLEY & SCHERZINGER'S.

For fine ice creams and ices, Geller's is the place to order.

Gold Watches at **Voirol's.**

Ladies, if you want to make your husbands and sweethearts happy, buy them a nice Pipe or some fine Cigars for Christmas at Belott's, 82 Calhoun street. 18tf

Watch chains at **Voirol's.**

Buy a flexible flyer coaster for your boy for Christmas. All steel runners; last a lifetime. Closing out our stock of sleds at 20 per cent. off.
th s,m **RANDALL CYCLE CO.**

Silverware at **Voirol's.**

Boys' and Girls' Club Cycle Wagons at Randall Cyle Co., 31 West Berry street. 13tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

Swan fountain pens at
TRENKLEY & SCHERZINGER'S.

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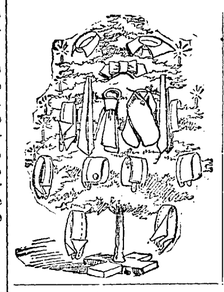

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Neckwear,
Umbrellas, Hats,
Smoking Jackets,
Mackintoshes.

Skates and Caps given FREE with Children's Clothing.

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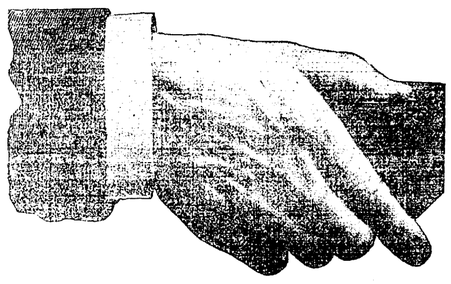
Leaders of Fashion.

For Christmas
$5.00 POCKET KODAKS!



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44 Calhoun St. -- Second Floor.
See Display in Globe Clothing House Window.

The Most Complete
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Alemeria Grapes.
Florida Oranges.
Mexican Oranges.
Messina Oranges
Very Fancy New York Apples
Fine New Nuts.
Grenoble Walnuts.
Taragona Almonds.
Pecans.
Filberts.
Brazil Nuts
Jordan Shelled Almonds.
Valencia Shelled Almonds.
Finest Malaga Cluster Table Raisins.
Valencia Cluster Table Raisins
California Cluster Table Raisins.

CANDIES and CONFECTIONS

Preserves—finest possible to produce.
Whole Fruits in Brandy.
Fruits in Heavy Syrup.
Jams, Jellies, Marmalade.
Olives—finest.
Canned Vegetables.
Macedoine.
French Peas.
French Mushrooms.
Asparagus, "whole."
Asparagus, "tips."
Wax Beans.
String Beans.
Corn, Tomatoes, &c., &c.
Fresh Vegetables.
Oysters.
Poultry.

And the Very Best of Fresh Meats, Smoked Meats, &c., &c., in fact, everything to Satiate the Appetite of the most Fastidious Epicures, at * * * * * *

PFEIFFER & ROUSSEAU,
40-44 West Berry St. -- Phone 378.
P. S.—Include a Pound of "PLANTATION JAVA" Coffee.

William Malle would be pleased to see all of his friends in the city at the Randall hotel cigar stand tomorrow.

A new idea in umbrella markers at
TRENKLEY & SCHERZINGER'S.

See **Voirol** for prices.

Silver knives and forks at **Voirol's.**

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For China Dinner and Toilet Sets, Banquet and Hanging Lamps, Novelties, White China to Decorate, Cut Glass, Jardinieres and Cups, Saucers and Plates, etc. The largest and best selected stock in the city, call on

M. F. KAAG,
No. 5 E. Columbia St.

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Suggestion,
We are displaying a handsome line of
NECKWEAR,
GLOVES,
HATS.
And in fact everything in the Gents' Furnishing Line.
Just received—a handsome line of Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, suitable for Christmas Presents.
W. A. MEYER,
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FLANK MOVEMENT.

Cuban Insurgents Out-general the Government.

General Campos Must Bestir Himself Else Havana Will Fall to the Rebels.

HAVANA, Dec. 24—Gomez and the insurgent army have turned the flank of the Spanish forces commanded by General Campos in person at Colon and are now well to the westward of that place, threatening a quick movement upon Havana. This news from the front has created the greatest consternation here.

NEARING HAVANA.

The insurgents' army is now only about fifty miles from Havana and the Spanish authorities seem to have entirely lost their heads. At this rate the insurgents will be in front of Havana possibly tomorrow, if they have obtained control of the railroads from here to Matanzas, which seems not impossible, as they were only a few miles from Matanzas when last heard from and they were moving rapidly westward.

FIGHTING AT MATANZAS.

HAVANA, Dec. 24.—5 P. M.—A report has reached here that a battle is being fought this afternoon between the Spanish troops and the insurgents not far from Mantanzas. The report cannot be confirmed.

THE STOCK MARKET

Shows a Decided Improvement Over the Past Week.

Prices Go Up to Their Proper Standard and Remain There to the Close.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The stock market opened firm and higher on moderate dealings. London cables reported speculation there as being irregular. The local trading at 10:15 a. m. was of a buoyant character, and heavy purchases of the leading shares were made.

The bulls continued in control of the speculative situation at 1 p. m., and further material gains were made in the prominent stocks. The operations in bonds were very heavy and noteworthy gains were established in the speculative issues.

Money on call has been quoted at 6 per cent. all the morning. Prime mercantile paper 4¾@5½ per cent. Sterling exchange strong with actual business in banker's bills at 488¾@488½ for demand at 489½@490 for sixty days.

Von Hoffman & Co. have increased their proposed shipment of gold on tomorrow's steamer from $250,000 to $460,000, and Baring, Morgan & Co. will ship $500,000 for the account of Kidder, Peabody & Co., of Boston.

LONDON, Dec. 24 —The stock exchange opened steady and continues quiet. Consols advanced half to ⅝ over yesterday's prices and Union Pacific and American railroads advanced ¼ to 1½ all round. But there was little business doing.

THE GOLD WITHDRAWALS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24 — Up to 1 o'clock this afternoon the treasury officials had been advised of the withdrawal for export of $1,200,000 in gold bars from the sub treasury at New York. This leaves the true amount of the gold reserve $66,766,395.

PLANNED SUICIDE

But it Worked Only in the Case of the Husband.

Arno Karb and His Wife Go to Bed, Turn on the Gas and Prepare to Go Hence.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The odor of gas attracted the attention of tenants in a building in East Eighty-sixth street today to the apartments occupied by Arno Karb and his wife. Entrance to the rooms having been forced, Karb was found breathing his last, while his wife was unconscious from asphyxiation. The latter was restored, but the husband died while he was being conveyed to the hospital. As the police suspected that the couple had planned suicide, the woman was placed under arrest. Karb was thirty-eight years of age and his wife is thirty years old.

Citizen Train.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Citizen George Francis Train today sent the following message to President Cleveland:

"MADISON SQUARE,
"Day before Christmas.
"President U. S. A., Washington, D. C.:

"CITIZEN:—I have elected you twice by "physicism." I will do it again if you will issue no bonds and throw the responsibility of the crisis on congress. (Signed.) "GEO FRANCIS TRAIN."

Works Burned.

VICTOR, Colo., Dec. 24.—The Lawrence reduction works, owned by a company of which J. DeLamar is president, have been burned. Loss, $125,000. The works had been very successful in the treatment of low grade Cripple Creek ores and will be rebuilt.

Can Defend the Harbor.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Dec. 24.—San Francisco can provide thirty-five vessels for the defense of its harbor in the event of war with England, provided time is given in which to put them in condition for battle. The Pacific steamship company can alone put forth a very respectable fleet and Spreckles can turn out enough tugs to cripple all commercial ships which would attempt to pass the harbor inside of the Farallone Islands. There are four big companies operating steamers out of San Francisco, the majority of which fly the American flag.

AN OPEN TRENCH.

Mrs. James Wells Dangerously Injured.

Grocer D. W. Bitner Kicked by a Vicious Horse—Natural Gas Explosion on the East Side.

Careless workmen were responsible for a serious accident which befell Mrs. James Wells last night. Plumbers had been at work making a gas connection with the mains at the corner of Hulton and Creighton avenues, and on leaving in the evening, left the trench open. Mrs. Wells had been down town shopping, and on her return, passing by the place, failed to notice the opening and walked directly into it. She was unable to help herself and had to be conveyed home by pedestrians who discovered her painful predicament. She has not been able to move since the accident, and suffers much pain about the sides, back and hips.

COMBINATION OF MISHAPS.

A fractious horse caused Mr. D. W. Bitner, the South Calhoun street grocer, more trouble in a few minutes last night than most men meet with in a week. Mr. Bitner was arranging things in the stall for the animal's comfort, but the unappreciative beast was not looking for favors and kicked over the lamp. In his efforts to stamp out the flames, Mr. Bitner received some painful burns, and besides approached too near the horse, which was still kicking. The iron shod hoofs struck Mr. Bitner on the legs, inflicting several painful wounds. However, he managed to keep the flames from spreading and there was no conflagration.

A GAS EXPLOSION.

Residents of East Jefferson street were awakened at an early hour yesterday morning by a loud explosion, and the startled people ran to find the cause of the report. It had proceeded from the residence of Mrs. Lucretia Bond, at 97 East Jefferson street. A plug in the natural gas pipe had blown out and the space between the walls soon filled with gas. The explosion loosened the weather boarding on the outside and blew the paper from the walls of the rooms. Beyond this there was no damage, the members of the family fortunately escaping injury.

Pensions for Indianians.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Pensions have been granted to the following citizens of Indiana:

Original—Edward Walker, Lafayette; John H. Washburn, Royal Center.

Additional—Gordon Bennett, Grantsburg.

Increase—James W. Wray, Eclipse; Alanson Washburn, Columbia City; Allen B. Shields, Headlee; Alexander Morehead, Marion.

Restoration and Additional—Peter H. Lightel (deceased), Fremont.

Reissue—Joseph Stough, Linkville; Geo. W. Watts, Indianapolis.

Original Widows, Etc—Minors of John J. Douglas, Quercus Grove; Lucy Sims, Indianapolis; Nancy A. Bowers, Normanda; Barbara Lightel, Fremont; Mary A. Mullin, Trenton; Emily Chambers, Indianapolis; Mary A. Wright, Fortville; Harriet M. Klapp, Plymouth.

H. N. Goodwin and wife, of Dallas, Texas, are in the city to spend the holidays. Mr. Goodwin, who has been connected with the American Press association, resigned his position and will leave for New York city Thursday to associate himself with Rest Fenner, Smith Co., manufacturers of umbrella sticks and canes. Geo. F. Seely is the secretary of the firm.

A very pleasant event was the party given in honor of the fifth birthday anniversary of Mabel F. Crawford, at her home, No. 60 Huestis avenue. Those present were Alice, Ethel and Lulu Byers, Mary Brunner, Vida Fike, Mamie Covington, Benitta Fox, Everet Byers, Arthur and Albert Lepper, H. Phillips, Bruckliud Crawford, John Crawford.

Shell combs at
TRENKLEY & SCHERZINGER'S.

MUST PROVE IT.

An Assertion That Must be Proven.

Some time ago a statement was made in the Fort Wayne newspapers to the effect that every instrument in the Arcade Music Store would be sold before moving to our new store room, 139 Calhoun street. In order to make my word good, I must sell nine pianos, including the stock not regularly handled by us. By next Saturday night I don't want to be able to count one piano in our store. That's over two a day. Not much of a trick when times are flush, but as they are a little close I must probably offer some extraordinary inducements to close out these few pianos left. If you ever expect to own a piano now is your time. A small cash deposit, the balance made in payments to suit yourself. I have some very choice pianos in fancy woods left that must go into this sale.

ARCADE MUSIC STORE,
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Trenkley & Scherzinger's closing out sale at 78 Calhoun street, ends January 1, 1896.

Gold Charms at Voirol's.

THE REVENUE BILL

May be a Simple Revision of the Tariff Laws.

High Protective Advocates Rush to Washington to Influence the Ways and Means Committee.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—Much pressure has been brought to bear upon Chairman Dingley and the members of the ways and means committee today by members of the house and business men, who have hastily come to Washington for the purpose, to persuade them to broaden the scope of the tariff advances in their proposed revenue bill and to include other articles which have not been considered. They are invariably told that the bill is not intended as a measure of tariff revision; that it is an emergency bill to secure needed revenue and that there is neither time nor inclination to go deeply into the tariff question. There is a strong movement, however, that may possibly prove successful to have the schedule of agricultural products raised from the contemplated rate of twenty five per cent. more than the Wilson bill rates to sixty per cent. of the McKinley rates, placing this schedule on the same basis with wool and lumber.

The announcement of the committee plan by the Associated Press has caused the movement for a republican caucus on the bill which was pushed by western members to be nearly abandoned.

The separation of the tariff and bond features of the plan will give the silver republicans an opportunity to place themselves on record by voting against the bond bill and this, together with the proposed advance of tariff rates on lumber, agricultural products and live stock, practically satisfies their desires.

This morning the full ways and means committee held a formal meeting and adopted a resolution to have the president's annual message printed in mere routine matter. This afternoon, however, the republican members have another conference on the tariff bill.

FULL CITIZENSHIP.

Political Disability Removed From Ex-Confederates.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—The senate today, without even dividing, passed the bill to remove the political disabilities of ex-confederates.

INDIANIANS FARE WELL.

They Get Good Appointments on the House Committee.

WASHINGTON, Dec 24.—Indiana fared unusually well in the make-up of the house committees. After the announcement of committees the Indiana representatives compared notes, and apparently were all well satisfied. The assignment of Indiana members is as follows:

Hemenway—Appropriations.
Hardy—Pensions; mines and mining.
Tracewell—Immigration; patents.
Watson—Indian affairs; claims.
Overstreet—Elections.
Johnson—Chairman elections; banking and currency.
Henry — Public buildings and grounds; education.
Faris—Pacific railroads; manufactures.
Hanly—Naval affairs; claims.
Hatch—War claims.
Steele—Ways and means.
Leighty—Agriculture; expenses of public buildings.
Royse—Elections; Mississippi river and levees.

HE THINNED NOT WISELY BUT TOO MUCH.

Ah, distinctly I remember,
It was only last November
That they chased me thro' the backyard,
And across the old barn floor;
Valiantly and well I fought me
Till at last the villians caught me
And proceeded then to trot me
To the axe beside the door—
But, ashamed, they let me go for
I was bones and nothing more—
Skin and bones—and nothing more!

Now, I see it is December,
And, no doubt, they will dismember
Me, for all my many fat friends
Have gone to that other shore.
I've grown pale from apprehension
For of late some marked attention
Makes me think it's their intention
To cut off my legs and serve me
As a reed-bird from the store—
Just a reed-bird—nothing more!
—GEORGE V. HOBART.

Was Murder.

SILVER CITY, N. M., Dec. 24.—William Reed, superintendent of the Native Copper and Hanover mines at Lindermann, was found near the mouth of the former mine shot through the brain and his skull crushed. There is no direct clue, but two discharged miners are suspected of the murder.

Depew Says.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—A local paper says: "The Hon. Chauncey M. Depew said last night: 'A bond issue will be authorized within five days,' said Mr. Depew, 'and I have not any authority for the statement. I get it from the air. Many good things come out of the air.'"

STORMS AT SEA.

The English and Germans Suffer Great Losses.

A Three-Masted Vessel in Distress—Two Life Crews Wrecked and Sixteen Men Drowned.

DUBLIN, Dec. 24.—A large three-masted vessel has been seen flying signals of distress in Kingstown bay. A life boat which went to her assistance was capsized and her crew of sixteen men were drowned. A second life boat which started for the rescue was also overturned but the crew managed to cling to the boat which was finally righted. The fate of the three masted vessel is not known. Later it was discovered that the vessel was the Morseby and in spite of all efforts to save them, seventeen were drowned when the ship broke up.

PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 24—The worst storm experienced in many years has prevailed in this district for two days. The telegraph wires are prostrated and shipping is at a standstill. Steamers arriving from the south report a severe gale from the west, and steamers bound down are compelled to seek shelter and wait for the weather to moderate. The prevalence of a succession of southerly and westerly gales has not only intensified fears for the safety of the missing Strainoris, of the North Pacific line, but much uneasiness is now felt here for the British steamer Danube, which left Victoria two weeks ago to search for the disabled steamship.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—Heavy gales prevailed today on the coast of Great Britain, and several small wrecks have already been reported. A schooner was seen to run ashore in the Tyne, near Shields, where it became a total wreck.

LOCAL LINES.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Wilson left today for Wabash.

John Berdelman will spend the holidays in Lafayette.

Miss Lulu Noll, of Chicago, is the guest of relatives in this city.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Weiler, of Columbia avenue—a daughter.

Miss Lillian Ash will leave in a few days for a visit with friends in Pittsburg.

Messrs. Neil and Lee Nindo will entertain the S. H. S. club this evening at Wildwood.

Mrs. Thomas Foster and Mrs. Fred Barchard, of Antwerp, were in the city shopping today.

The Hon. S. M. Hench returned yesterday from Bluffton, where he was attending court.

The Misses Frances and Lillie Cramer left this morning for their home in Fairbury, Ill., to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Conrad, of Canton, O., are the guests for several weeks of their daughter, Mrs. A. K. Zartman.

A Main street car ran over and killed a pet dog belonging to Father Oechtering, of St. Mary's church, yesterday morning.

Henry Roux, of Stryker, Ohio, will be the guest of his cousin, Miss Amelia Roux, of East Wayne street, during the holidays.

Miss Lillie Shordon, of the recorder's office, left this morning for her home, near New Haven, to spend Christmas with her parents.

The ladies' society, of Westminster, church will meet Thursday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. O. R. Beaver, on Columbia avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wiegand and daughter, of Indianapolis, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian, of South Lafayette street.

Miss Anna Yager, of Decatur, will arrive tomorrow and will be the guest of Miss Kate Fox, of Brackenridge street, during the holidays.

William McLeod, of A. L. Johns & Co., has gone to Canada to spend Christmas with his parents. He will remain until the first of the year.

The Everett & Doud agency yesterday sold to James McCullough lot 5, Foundry addition, for $1,500. It will be occupied by Mr. McCullough and sisters, who recently left the Leo toll gate.

Landlord Dick Townsend, of the Randall, desires to meet all of his friends this evening to exchange Christmas greetings. All who know the genial Dick will be sure of a cordial reception.

The cantata, "Santa Claus' Delight," will be rendered tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock by the Sunday school at the Grace Reformed church. Over forty children will participate in the program and chorus.

The Chicago Cycle show, from the 4th to the 11th of January, will attract a large number of cycling enthusiasts from this city. Over 100 Fort Wayne people have already signified their intention of attending. The show promises to be one of the events of the season in the windy city.

Messrs. Will Gouty, Marion Black and Will Feltier have returned to the city to spend the holidays with Fort Wayne relatives. They all report business very good and the outlook for the coming year very encouraging, although the market is flooded with wheels of various manufacture.

Sterling mounted suspenders at
TRENKLEY & SCHERZINGER'S.

GOOD THINGS TO EAT.

True and Tried Recipes From a Good Chef.

No Reason Why Your Home Should Not Have Good Things—Watch This Department Every Tuesday.

[The recipes published in this department are furnished THE SENTINEL by Mr. C. L. Lachlin, the chef of the Wayne hotel.]

HOW TO SERVE CLAMS

Clams should be served on deep plates, covered previously with finely chopped ice. To have them sweet and fresh, they should be kept as cold as possible. Serve six on each plate with quarters of lemon.

BUTTER, MAITRE D'HOTEL.

Put 1 ounce of good butter in a bowl with a teaspoonful of very finely chopped parsley, adding the juice of half a sound lemon. Mingle well with a very little nutmeg, and keep it in a cool place to use when needed.

APPLE SAUCE.

Core, peel and quarter 4 sour apples; place them in a saucepan with ½ a glassful of water, ½ a tablespoonful of salt and 2 ounces of sugar. Cover and cook for about 25 minutes, or until the apples are reduced to a marmalade. Then strain through a colander, and add the third of a pinch of cinnamon, if necessary.

OYSTER SAUCE.

Open eighteen medium sized, fine Shrewsbury oysters and put them in a saucepan with one ounce of good butter, placing the pan on the stove. Cook for four minutes; remove half the liquid from the pan and add a pint of hot allemande sauce, then with the spatula mix lightly together without allowing it to boil, and serve.

BECHAMEL SAUCE.

Place in a saucepan 2 ounces of butter, add 2 tablespoonfuls of flour, and stir constantly for 5 minutes. Moisten with 1½ pints of boiling milk, being careful to pour it in gradually; then beat it well with a whisk. Add ½ teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, a pinch of salt, a boquet, 12 whole peppers, and a little mushroom liquor, if at hand. Cook well for fifteen minutes, and when done rub through a fine seive.

A BOUQUET HOW TO PREPARE.

Take four branches of well washed parsley stalks if the branches be small, take six one branch of soup celery, well washed, one blade of bay leaf, one sprig of thyme, and two cloves, placed in the center of the parsley, so as to prevent cloves, thyme, and bay leaf from dropping out of the bouquet while cooking; fold it well and tightly tie with a string, and use when required in various recipes.

VICTORIA SAUCE.

Pound one tablespoonful of lobster coral very fine, with half an ounce of fresh butter, then lay it aside. In three-quarters of a pint of allemande sauce, place half a glassful of white wine and six chopped mushrooms; let it warm thoroughly, without boiling, in a sauce pan, and then mix in the lobster coral, stir well, and serve. A few sliced truffles can be used, according to the quality of the dinner.

TO PREPARE BREADED FISH.

1. After the fish is pared, cleaned and dried, dip it first in milk, then in flour and fry in very hot fat.

2 Take very clean fish, dip it in beaten egg, then in freshly grated bread crumbs and fry in very hot fat.

3. For certain fish, like white bait, immerse them in milk, then in flour mixed with pulverized crackers; shake well in a colander and throw into very hot fat. Oysters are breaded the same way, but should be flattened before frying.

4. For croustades of rice or potatoes dip in beaten egg and roll in fresh bread crumbs; repeat three times before frying.

COURT BOUILLON.

Cut up one good sized, peeled and well washed carrot, with a sound onion, and half a bunch of parsley roots, also cut up; brown them in a glassful of white or red wine, according to the fish; add to it any well washed pieces of fish heads and a pint of water, season with half a pinch each of salt and pepper, boil well for 5 minutes, let cool, strain through a napkin or a sieve into a jar, and use when needed; always avoid straining anything acid into tin or copper vessels, to prevent blackening.

CELERY SAUCE.

Clean well, nicely pare and cut into dice shaped pieces, and then wash thoroughly in fresh water three roots of fine celery, using only the white parts. Lift them out with the hand so that the sand and dirt remains at the bottom of the pan, and place them in a sauce pan. Cover them with fresh water, adding two pinches of salt and half an ounce of butter. Put on the lid and cook on the hot stove for twenty-five minutes. Drain and place the celery in the saucepan again with a pint of hot allemande sauce; toss well for just a little while and serve.

CELERY, FRINGED.

Another and economical way to prepare celery for a side dish to decorate the table: Take only 1 large head of fine celery, pare off the green stalks and cut off the roots, reserving it for a delicious and wholesome salad; cut the stalk lengthwise into four equal branches, wash them well in cold water, then cut each one into pieces about as long as one's finger; by so doing, all the branches will be separated; with the aid of a small, keen knife, pare the thin sides a little, making five or six slits in each piece, starting from the top, downward, leaving half to three-quarters of an inch uncut; place them in cold water with plenty of ice, leaving them in for two hours; lift it from the ice water, artistically dress on a round glass dish, and send to the table. Celery arranged and served in this way makes a beautiful effect on the table, but requires a little patience in its preparation.

NOTES.

A pinch of salt represent 205 grains, or a tablespoonful.

Half a pinch of pepper represents thirty-eight grains, or a teaspoonful.

A third of a pinch of nutmeg represents thirteen grains, or half a teaspoonful.

WEDDED LIFE.

Several Young Couples of This City Enter It.

Michael-Ulbrich, Watt-Brown, Paschall-Pence, Jenson-Shober, Lapp-Bradley.

This evening at 5 o'clock occurred the marriage of Herman C. Michael, son of ex-Councilman and Mrs. Herman Michael, of South Calhoun street, to Lizzie Ulbrich, a charming young lady of Chicago. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wagenhals, only near relatives, Peter and Celia Ulbrich, brother and sister of the bride, being present. Mr. and Mrs. Herman C. Michael will leave for Atlanta, and on their return will make their future home at Chicago, where Mr. Michael is engaged in the drug business.

This noon at the bride's home, on East Lewis street, occurred the marriage of Miss Jessie Bradley to Mr. Charles J. Lapp. Mr. and Mrs. Lapp left for Upper Sandusky and other points.

A pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. August Brown this afternoon, when their daughter, Miss Edith, was united in marriage to Mr. John Watt. Only the relatives and immediate friends of the contracting parties were present to witness the ceremony.

This morning at 10:30 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cutler of Oak street, occurred the marriage of Miss Kate Pence to Mr. Arlo Paschall. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives by Rev. Zartman, of the Grace Reformed church. The bride wore a becoming traveling costume of red cloth. Mr. Paschall is the bookkeeper at the City Carriage works. Mr. and Mrs. Paschall left at once for a short wedding journey.

At the Baptist parsonage Monday evening occurred the marriage of Miss Emma Jenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Jenson, to Mr. O. L. Shober, the well known brakeman on the Pittsburg road. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. L. Henson. Previous to the marriage the wedding party partook of a repast at the home of the bride's parents, on Wells street. Mr. and Mrs. Shober left for Mansfield, Ohio. They will spend Christmas with an aunt of the bride at Adrian, Mich., and will return home about the first of the year.

THIEVES IN PLENTY.

Another South Side House Broken Into, but Nothing Stolen.

A companion piece to the robbery of the Darker residence, Monday night, was attempted but a short time previously, not far from the place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Donivan, of No. 20 West Williams street, had been down town shopping, and returned about 5 o'clock. They entered by the front door and were immediately attracted by a noise in the kitchen, as of some one scrambling through a window. Hastily opening the door leading from the sitting room to the kitchen, Mr. Donivan saw that a rear window had been broken and a screen thrown down. No one was about, however, the burglars having apparently taken flight. Nothing of value was missing, the thieves having apparently been discovered at the commencement of their operations. None of the neighbors had seen anything of the men and there is no clue to their identity. The parties were, without a doubt, the same who a few minutes later went through the Darker residence, two blocks away.

William Smith and daughter, Miss Emma Smith, have gone to Peru to spend the holidays with friends.

That all the employes of THE SENTINEL may enjoy Christmas there will be no paper issued from this office tomorrow.

A handsome little baby boy has come as an advance Christmas present to the home of Justice and Mrs. Harry F. France, on South Calhoun street.

There will be a Christmas service at Trinity Episcopal church, corner of Berry and Fulton streets, Rev. A. W. Seabrease, rector. Morning prayer, sermon and holy communion at 10:45 a. m.

Miss Kittie Forrest, of Springfield, Ohio, is the guest of her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Willson, of Oakley street. Miss Forrest will go to Van Wert tomorrow to spend the day with other relatives.

A new Catholic church is among the future things in prospect at Huntington. It is said that Messrs. Roche will contribute nearly, if not quite all, of the expenses of erecting the new edifice, which will cost in the neighborhood of $50,000.

Silver Tea Sets at Voirol's.

UNDER CONDITIONS.

Mr. Everett Can Have a Street Railway Franchise.

Denied the Use of Harrison and Baker Streets and Must Give Bond That the Columbia City Line Will be Built.

The city council met in special session last night, pursuant to the call of the mayor, which was read by the clerk at the opening of the meeting. Councilman Griebel was the only absentee, having gone away for Christmas.

The mayor submitted his approval of the following ordinances: Mr. Wolf's annexation ordinance, Mr. Tigar's ordinance providing for the maintenance of the sidewalks free from mud, the ordinance changing the name of Nirdlinger avenue to Swinney avenue, and the ordinance appropriating $20.63 to J. O. Lehr as commission on collection of delinquent taxes.

The department of finance recommended the appropriation of the sum of $3,293.64 to the department of law for the payment of divers claims against the city and for the transfer of some small amounts to the general fund.

The event of the meeting which aroused the most interest and in which the councilmen, as well as the crowd of spectators, were most interested, was the report of the committee on contracts and franchises, which had the Everett railway matter under consideration. The committee was divided and consequently there were two reports submitted.

The majority report recommended the passage of the ordinance granting Mr. Everett a franchise, and set forth a number of reasons for so doing. The terms of the contract, the report said, protected the public interests in many ways and would be of benefit to the people at large. It prevented a monopoly of the streets, it provided a three cent fare and provided for the sharing by the city in the profits. The benefits accruing to the city at large would more than offset the inconvenience to the people of Harrison street. For these and many other reasons the committee recommended the passage of the ordinance.

The report of the minority, signed by Messrs. McDonald and Sheid, was then taken up and read.

The minority recommended the granting of the franchise with a number of amendments tacked on, the principal points being the throwing out of Harrison and Baker streets from the terms of the contract and the exaction of a bond in the sum of $25,000 as a guarantee that the entire line, including the railroad to Columbia City, should be built.

The grantees were furthermore to file their acceptance of the contract within thirty days from the date of passage of the ordinance. A sum of $5,000 was to be deposited as evidence and guarantee that the grantees would have the railroad built and in operation in twelve months from the date of granting the franchise. On failure of the grantees to comply with the terms of the contract, as related to time for completion, the respective sums were to be paid to the city as liquidated and accrued damages.

At the conclusion of the reading, Mr. McDonald moved that the report be concurred in. Mr. Glenn offered an amendment, giving approval to the majority report. Mr. McDonald then addressed the council in support of the minority report. He urged the adoption of the report and gave a number of reasons why it should be done. Mr. McDonald said that the committee objected to the contract beause it was not to the best interests of the city. A franchise over the street is worth more than Mr. Everett offers. What we want is an inter-urban road, and we want to bind Mr. Everett to his promise to build one.

Mr. Everett asked permission to address the council, which was the signal for a brief war of words, Mr. Mohr and others contending that Mr. Everett had already been heard at sufficient length, and that the subject had received ample consideration. After considerable discussion the matter was finally put to a vote, and Mr. Everett was denied the privilege of speaking.

The mayor then put Mr. Glenn's amendment, but it was defeated by a vote of 9 to 5. The original motion, the adoption of the minority report, was put before the council and resulted in the following vote:

Yeas—Berkenstein, Fisher, Kelker, McDonald, Mohr, Scheid, Sommers, Tigar, Wallemath.

Nays—Glenn, Bild, Loesch, Wolf and Young.

The remainder of the business of the evening was gone through with quickly. The committee on judiciary and city attorney reported in favor of the appropriation of $3,393.64 to the department of law, and a resolution to that effect was passed.

A resolution introduced in favor of giving horsemen the right to speed their horses on Washington boulevard from Swinney park to Broadway, between the hours of 2 and 4, every afternoon each day, when there is snow on the ground, excepting Sunday, was passed.

Several committee reports were concurred in, and then Mr. Loesch presented for the second time his pole ordinance, which was killed at the last meeting. The ordinance, with a few modifications was read for the second time, when Mr. Mohr moved its reference to the finance committee. He explained that he was of the opinion that the committee could be able to determine a more practicable method of taxing the corporations. A few objections were heard, but the motion was put and carried.

Mr. Young wanted the council to consider Mr. Everett's proposal regarding placing the street car matter before the people for an election, but Mr. Mohr cut in with a motion to adjourn, which was carried.

FUMES OF LIQUOR.

Mrs. Blair Says a Police Officer Was Drinking.

An Early Evening Burglary on the South Side—A Minor Arrested for Drunkenness—Police Court.

The wife of William H. Blair, a prisoner at police court this morning, brought a charge against Officer Buechner which will probably bear investigation by the board of public safety.

Blair was arrested for drunkenness, and it seems that Buechner tried at first to take him home, but finding his charge rather obstreperous, changed his tactics and sent him to the station. He then went and informed Mrs. Blair of her husband's imprisonment.

Before the mayor, this morning, the lady said that the policeman was under the influence of liquor, "she smelt it on his breath," and furthermore that he acted in an ungentlemanly manner to her. His honor immediately informed her that he should cause her to be cited before the board to prefer charges at the next meeting. "The matter will be investigated," he said, "and if your charge is proven true, he shall be punished. It is too serious a matter to be allowed to go unnoticed."

In the meantime Blair was sent to jail for eleven days.

HOUSE BREAKERS AT WORK.

The residence of Mr. George U. Darker, at 79 West Butler street, was entered by burglars last evening between the hours of 6 and 7 o'clock. The cracksmen broke a window on the south side of the house and crawled through the opening thus afforded.

The theft was not discovered until Mr. Darker returned home in the evening. Two suits of clothing were missing, besides a diamond pin and a number of small articles of dress and two pairs of shoes.

POLICE JOTTINGS.

Frank Kress, a minor, was before the mayor on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was arrested at Kelsey's grocery, on South Broadway. His sister appeared and plead for his release, as it was his first offense, and the mayor released him on a promise of good behavior.

Charles Sludrum, an employe of the Meyers livery barn, was sent over for eleven days for drunkenness. He is suspected of stealing and pawning an ulster belonging to Charles Yobst, another workman, and a tour of the pawnshops was made, but the missing garment could not be found.

Jesse Felker, an old time drunk, was interrupted in the midst of a drunken row on Hough street this morning and slated on the usual charge. He is having a hearing before the mayor this afternoon.

TONSORAL ARTISTS.

Annual Election of Officers of Barbers' Union, No. 14.

Barbers' union, No. 14, J. B. I. U. of A., held their regular meeting last night and elected officers for the ensuing term as follows: President, C. F. Henker; vice president, H. P. Lauer; recording secretary, C. J. Steice; financial secretary, John Brunskill; treasurer, F. H. Schlink; guide, John Buddo; guardian, W. H. Glass; trustees, H. Homan, F. M. Kesser, and Henry Gunther. An auditing committee was appointed as follows: Theo. Clark, Ed. Hagen and S. Errington. Two new members were initiated at the meeting, Edward Hagen and Joseph Futter.

POSTOFFICE HOURS.

The Postoffice Announces Them for Christmas.

Postmaster Rockhill announces the following hours for the Christmas mail service:

The general delivery and stamp department will be open till 10 o'clock a. m. The money order and registry department will be open till 10 o'clock a. m. The regular morning street delivery and collection will be made. Collections will be made at 6 and 10 p. m. from the hotels and Calhoun street boxes between the depots. The outgoing mail service will be as usual.

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It is absolutely certain to grow worse running every for a time and return again, until before you are aware of it, an ulcer has formed and the beginning of the much dreaded fistula has been made and then, what was at first a simple case of common, every-day piles becomes an even chance between life and death. A surgical operation, with all its attendant horrors, uncertainties and danger to life, becomes necessary.

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Letters like these are daily received by the Pyramid Pile Co. of Albion, Mich., who manufacture this remedy. It is sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents and $1.00, and every druggist has a good word to say for it as they know better than anyone else the satisfaction it always gives to their customers.

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The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. HACKETT.

TUESDAY, DEC. 24, 1895.

TONIGHT.

MASONIC TEMPLE—Frohman's Company in "The Wife."
EMPIRE THEATRE—Vaudeville Entertainment.
CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT—Heidelberg Reformed Church.
FEEBLE MINDED INSTITUTE—Christmas Entertainment.
BETHANY CHURCH—Christmas Entertainment by the Sunday School.
CHRISTMAS TREE—Christ's Evangelical Lutheran Church, in Y. M. C. A. Building.
LABOR ORGANIZATIONS — John Groof Lodge No. 67, Railway Car Men.
COLUMBIAN READING CIRCLE—Regular meeting.
STONEMASON'S UNION NO. 7—Regular meeting.
CATHOLIC BENEVOLENT LEGION—St. Julian Council No. 87.
AMERICAN PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION—Regular meeting in Harmony Hall.
LODGES—Darius Council, Princes of Jerusalem, A. and A. S. Rite; Ary, No. 8, E. T.; Summit City lodge No. 2, D. of H.; Fort Wayne lodge No. 11, D. of H.; Elks' lodge; Col. F. S. Walker camp, No. 165, S. of V.; Canton Fort Wayne, No. 17, Patriarchs Militant; Fort Wayne lodge No. 116, K. of P.; Rathbone Temple No. 31; Robin Hood Lodge No. 248, Sons of St. George; Indianola Lodge No. 311, Order of the World.

It will probably be a "green Christmas."

THE SENTINEL wishes all its readers a Merry Christmas.

THERE will be no paper issued from this office tomorrow.

We are having our January thaw this winter before January begins.

UPAS will come into the union soon after the new year has begun.

IT OPEN in Ohio the saloons are compelled to close at 10 o'clock at night.

SANTA CLAUS will be here with the early morning hours, snow or no snow.

THE unsightly poles of the city will not be taxed—at least not for the present.

THE city of Chicago has inaugurated strenuous efforts to capture the democratic national convention.

CONGRESSMAN BAILEY, of Texas, is not so bad as a humorist. He has introduced a bill prohibiting senators and representatives from in any way soliciting appointments to office. But then this is Mr. Bailey's first term.

THE war scare is dwindling away as rapidly as it came. Great Britain and the United States are not going to engage in a bloody conflict, when what ever differences that are between them can be settled by arbitration.

NO STORY in the history of the world since its creation was so momentous as the birth of Christ. At this day, nearly nineteen hundred years afterward, the number of those to whom the coming of Christ to save the world is the most precious of all facts, is greater than at any previous period. Great conquests, great battles, great discoveries there have been, but none of them have influenced so many lives and influenced them so powerfully as this fact of the coming of God in human form.

THE owners of the 2:10 horses in this city are happy. The city council has passed an ordinance giving them the privilege of fast driving on Washington boulevard, from Broadway to Swinney park. When the snow falls that thoroughfare will be popular with the horsemen and the people who will gather in the afternoon to witness the racing.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Could the president of the United States, in time of war, if necessary, order the National Guard into service in Canada or any other foreign country?

FORT WAYNE RIFLE.

After the National Guard has been called into service, which would be done by the governors of the several states in answer to a requisition from the president, the men in it can be sent anywhere. This has sometimes been disputed, but it is doctrine that must prevail always.

EDITOR SENTINEL:—Will you please tell me what, in brief, is the Monroe doctrine? SUBSCRIBER.

A few days ago THE SENTINEL gave the words of President Monroe, as enunciated in his message, on this subject. In the briefest terms the Monroe doctrine is an American policy or line of guidance for governmental action which holds that the American continents must not be used by European powers as fields for the establishment of new colonies; that the independent states of the western hemisphere must not be subjugated or interfered with in regard to the form of government they may see fit to adopt by any European power; that the liberty of such American countries must be respected, and that they must not be oppressed by the powers of the old world. President Monroe declared that any of these things would be considered an unfriendly act by the United States and ever since his time that has been the attitude of the American republic. It is not claimed that European powers may not go to war with any American country which quarrels with them, or that they may not avenge injuries done to their citizens or possessions. But the United States cannot permit any power of Europe to acquire permanent control over any portion of the western hemisphere not in its possession at the time of Monroe's administration. Neither can this nation allow any country of Europe to force its forms of government, its institutions or its influence upon any American state, no matter how small.

AN EPISODE.

REMINISCENCE OF THE JOLLITY THEATER STOCK COMPANY.

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Three weeks before the holidays, and the outlook for a merry Christmas was a gloomy one, at least so far as the members of the stock company of the Jollity theater were concerned. Salary day had come and gone, and as yet the ghost had shown no disposition to walk, and it was because of the unappearance of that most welcome specter of stageland that the rumor had started and was rapidly gaining ground that Messrs. Hustle and Hardup, proprietors and managers of the Jollity theater, were "in a hole again."

The piece which occupied the boards had proved a flat failure, and receipts at the box office had fallen in consequence to a place never before reached in the history of the house. Moreover, no new play had as yet been put in rehearsal, and an atmosphere of unmistakable gloom and apprehension pervaded the region behind the footlights and weighed heavily on the spirits of every one there, from Pearl Livingstone, the talented emotional actress who played the leading female parts, down to little Kitty Sullivan, who was only 7 years old and was in the depths of despair because for fully three weeks she had been out of the bill. In short, every member of the company was in a condition of mingled uncertainty and curiosity in regard to the future of the playhouse and the projects of its managers, who as yet had given no sign of their intentions and had, in fact, been invisible to the members of their artistic staff ever since the last day on which salaries became due.

On this particular night, which happened to be one of storm and rain, two or three of the principal actors had gathered together for a serious talk about the situation, when Tom, the programme boy, appeared and said before them in an almost breathless condition and exclaimed: "Mr. Freelance is back from Chicago. He's in the office with Mr. Hustle. They've got both doors locked."

"Mr. Freelance!" cried Miss Livingstone, her face lighting up with joy, precisely as it does in her scene in the second act, where her lover comes back from India, or rather as it did light up in that scene before the business became so bad. "Are you sure it was Mr. Freelance, Tommy?"

"Sure!" rejoined Tom, with emphasis. "I seen him myself when he come in."

"Then, Tom, you be sure and see him when he comes out and tell him that I am particularly anxious to see him back here as soon as the curtain goes down on the second act. Here's a quarter for you, Tom, and you'd better keep it as a curiosity, for it's getting to be a very rare sort of bird in the Jollity theater preserves."

"Thank you, marm," said Tom as he pocketed the coin, with a grin.

"I fancy I see a gleam of light on the distant horizon," remarked the venerable Mr. Borders in a tone similar to that which he assumes in the great melodrama called "The Ocean Blue," in the scene in which he is discovered sitting on a raft in midocean on the lookout for a passing sail. "In the meantime," he added, "I think we had better wait and hear what Billy has to say before we take any further action in the matter."

Up to this moment they had taken no action whatever, but the phrase sounded well, and so Mr. Borders employed it.

Now, Mr. William Freelance, called by his intimates Billy, was and is today one of the best known figures in the theatrical affairs of the town, and, as every member of the stock company knew, he had on more than one previous occasion come to the rescue of his old friends, Messrs. Hustle and Hardup, and that, too, when they were in even more deplorable financial straits than they were at the present moment.

It was his reputation as a mirror fully as much as his remarkable talents which caused the whole avant scene to brighten up at the news of his presence in the theater, for playfolk are notoriously superstitious and have as unbounded and childlike faith in the efficacy of a mascot as well as in the destructive qualities of a "jonah."

Just as the curtain fell on the second act, Mr. Freelance appeared behind the scenes and received the rapturous greetings of the company. Then Miss Livingstone took him by the arm, detached him from the little group which surrounded him, led him gently but firmly into her dressing room, placed him in her zino trunk, and standing before him with folded arms said, "Now, Billy, what's going to happen?"

"My dear," replied Mr. Freelance persuasively, "everything is all right, and I just left Hustle for five minutes to come back here and tell you so. We are going to put on a new piece, and there's a part in it that's simply great—out of sight, in fact. We are not quite sure who'll be cast for the part because it's a very heavy emotional one, and if we put a woman in it who didn't know how to read lines she would go all to

"MR. FREELANCE IS BACK."

pieces and the bottom would drop out of the whole play. I thought I'd speak to you about it because Hardup has caught a new 'angel' and said something to me about Kitty Bracebridge"—

"If that wolf put her foot in this theater"—began Miss Livingstone, but Mr. Freelance interrupted her by placing his hand over her mouth and saying: "Wait for me after the curtain goes down, Pearl, and I'll talk to you about it. Shadrach's waiting in the office, and I've got to give him a 'Jolly' so as to get the costumes out of him, but I'll be back here after the last act."

In spite of the storm outside and the dispiriting atmosphere within the performance given that night by the Jollity stock company was a notably brilliant one, for the news had spread that there was to be a speedy change of bill, and hope was once more in every member's breast. Mr. Freelance invited Miss Livingstone out to supper but as she was on the point of declaring that she would not go on again unless she received every cent of the back salary that was due her, and before they left the restaurant she had meekly agreed instead to the great emotional role which had been intended for Miss Bracebridge and to say nothing more about back salary.

The next morning, in accordance with a call posted in the stage entrance, the company assembled to hear the new play read by the gifted Mr. Freelance, and such was that gentleman's eloquent powers that when he laid the manuscript aside expressions that ranged from mere satisfaction to rapturous enthusiasm were heard on every hand, and there was scarcely an actor or actress present that did not feel confident of a personal success in the new production.

The reading over, Mr. Freelance took Miss Livingstone, Mr. Borders and one or two other rebellious spirits aside, and, as he expressed it in a subsequent interview with Mr. Hustle, "stiffened their backbones" with the assurance that everything was all right and that the piece was to be done on Christmas eve in order that they might have a really merry Christmas on the prospects of its success. After that, he assured them, their back salaries would pour in upon them in a perfect avalanche.

As Mr. Freelance was leaving the theater he felt some one tugging at his coat, and on looking down saw little Kitty Sullivan standing beside him and saying, in earnest tones, and with a sad, wistful face, "Billy, isn't there any part for me in the new piece?"

The child called him by his first name because she had always heard him spoken to in that way by other members of the company, and Billy rather encouraged her in the idea because it sounded funny to him to hear himself addressed in such familiar terms by an infant of her size.

Kitty was a veritable child of the avant scene, and had been so scenes from her very earliest infancy. She was now about 7 years of age, and was just beginning to comprehend the difference between the real things of life, such as houses, trees and streets, and the painted imitations of stageland. And yet it was only two years and a half ago that she beheld the ocean for the first time, and it is related of her that on that occasion she stood with Billy's hand tightly clasped in hers, watching the waves as they broke upon the beach, and finally turned to her companion and said in her serious way, "Billy, how do they work 'em?"

And now she was here beside her old friend, with her small, pathetic face upturned, and inquiring earnestly if there were a role for her in "The Giant's Causeway."

"See here, Kitty," exclaimed Mr. Freelance, touched by the child's grief, "I'll tell you what I'll do for you, and what's more, I wouldn't do it for any one else in the company. Are you listening?"

"Yes," said Kitty, turning her head around.

"Well, I'll write in a part specially for you, and that's something that no author like Sardou or myself rarely does for any one except a Bernhardt or a Duse. Now, run along and be here tomorrow at 11 for rehearsal."

The child darted away, wiping the last tear from her cheek as she ran, and Barney said approvingly, "That's the best deed you'll ever do in your life, Mr. Freelance, and, mark my words, the child'll bring good luck to the house."

How Billy succeeded in persuading the economical Hardup that the piece would prove a failure unless a child were introduced into it and how he contrived to write the part in for her that very night are matters that had best be left to conjecture, but the very next day Kitty received the typewritten copy of her lines, and rehearsals of "The Giant's Causeway" were carried forward under Mr. Freelance's direction with the energy and spirit that mark all of that gentleman's undertakings.

The opening night, Dec. 24, found the house well filled with an audience which made a favorable impression on the venerable Mr. Borders as he looked out through the peephole in the curtain, while behind the footlights feverish excitement and anticipation prevailed.

As for Kitty, she had become so wrought up over her role—the longest one she had ever been intrusted with—that she seemed in danger of losing her balance and forgetting every one of the lines that she had, by diligent study, crammed into her small head. She was standing in the first entrance, with her

SHE FELT SOME ONE TUGGING AT HER COAT.

as she was, she was enough of an artist to appreciate the importance of keeping a restraint on herself and not overdoing her role.

She was looking forward to a certain scene in the last act—a scene which she had rehearsed with much delight, and in which she firmly expected to make a great impression. Billy, who had been waiting with some anxiety for the scene, came down and took a seat in a proscenium box, and as the child stood in the wings waiting for her cue she saw him smiling encouragement to her. The scene represented a barren, wave washed rock near the coast of Ireland, and on this rock was standing the virtuous heroine, just where she had been left by the villain. The lights grew dim, the moon arose from beyond the scene, and the Philadelphia quartet, stationed behind the scenes, warbled plaintive Irish melodies.

"Must I die heartbroken?" mused the heroine as the tide rose higher and higher about the rock on which she stood and heavy clouds began to gather above her head. And just at this moment, a rowboat, propelled by childish arms, came swiftly around the rocky point at the left of the stage, and Kitty Sullivan, throwing aside the oars, stood up in the boat with her face on the prow and exclaimed in a clear, infantile treble, "I have come to save you for the sake of old Ireland!"

Commonplace as it was, with its old, well worn melodramatic effects of rain, music and moonlight, nevertheless the situation had taken a strong hold on the audience, and the sudden appearance of the sweet faced child, who had charmed every one during the earlier portions of the play, sent a distinct thrill through the entire house, and then came such an outburst of spontaneous applause as had not been heard in the Jollity theater for many a year.

Even Billy Freelance felt a touch of a magnetic current with which the atmosphere was charged, and might have

KITTY MAKES A HIT.

been heard to remark half audibly, "The kid's knocked 'em good this time, sure, for a thing's got to be good if it gets me."

And as the audience dispersed that night it seemed to Mr. Freelance, as he stood alert and watchful in the lobby, that there was but one name on every tongue, and that Kitty's sweet face and infantile art had made their way into the very heart of an always fickle public.

"You were right about her, Billy," said Hardup.

"I told you the young one would bring us good luck," said old Barney at the stage door.

"The idea of making such a fuss over a 7-year-old brat! Just shows what art is coming to in this country!" exclaimed Miss Livingstone as she swept through the drafty passage, leaving an odor of sealskin, tuberoses and sachet powder behind her.

The members of the stock company had their Christmas dinner in the wardrobe room between the matinee and the evening performance, Messrs. Hustle and Hardup footing the bill and Mr. Freelance presiding, with Miss Pearl Livingstone on his right hand and the venerable Mr. Borders on his left. And it is a matter of record that no toast offered that evening was drunk with heartier applause than was the one proposed by Mr. Freelance to Kitty Sullivan, "the mascot of the Jollity theater and the founder of this feast."

JAMES L. FORD.

Good Company.

"You don't seem to have made much money by bringing your hogs down here," remarked a stagecoach driver to a Connecticut farmer who had driven his hogs seven miles to town and then sold them for precisely what was offered to him before he left home.

"Well, no," replied the agriculturist dejectedly. "I ain't made no money, but then, you know," and his face brightened up as he spoke, "I had the company of the hogs on the way down."—Golden Days.

Big Sister (commencing a "Sunday morning talk")—Willie, whose day is this?

Willie (aged 3)—Mary's day out.—Truth.

MUNYON

Dr. King Tells How He Was Cured of RHEUMATISM.

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STATE NEWS.

Reddy Mackey, of Anderson, proposes to raise an Irish brigade for war on Britain.

A cleverly worked game of alleged spiritists at Cambridge City is said to have cost a Richmond man $1,200.

Colt Sexton, after eight years' absence on the Pacific slope, returned to Rushville to find both his parents dead.

While Lewis Russell, of Eagle, was absent buying Christmas toys for his little child, the baby was accidently burned to death.

William Knight, of Elkhart, while standing in the doorway of the Big Four roundhouse, was caught and crushed to death.

George Henry, of Elkhart, a man of magnificent physique and a leader in his class, succumbed to alcoholism and died in a few hours.

Three pupils of the Concord school, near Patriot, "hazed" the teacher, Prof. Eaton, inflicting injuries which are proving very serious.

Wiley Barr has been arrested at Lapel and sent to Marion to answer a charge of having forged his grandmother's name to a note calling for $128 66.

John Robinson, living on a shanty boat, at Vevey, swallowed morphine with suicidal intent. The drug made him sick and he eagerly accepted a stomach pump in relief.

The $10,000 damage suit brought by Edna Campbell against the wife, son and daughter of Dr. S. G. Irwin, on trial at Crawfordsville, terminated in favor of the defendants.

Gustav Brainsier, tool maker at the Plymouth Cycle Manufacturing company, will come home tonight on No. 8, to spend the holidays with his parents, at No. 221 West Creighton avenue.

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Men's Overcoats and Ulsters that were $7 50, $10, $12, 15, $18, Going for $4, $5, $7.50, $10, $12.
Boys' and Children's Overcoats that were $2 50, $4, $5, $7, $10, Going for $1 89, $2 98, $3 48, $4.98, $6 48.

Men's and Boys' Shoes, worth $2.50, $3, $3.50, Now $1.98, $2.48 and $2.98.

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RAILWAYS AND SHOPS.

Former Fort Wayne Citizen Killed in Colorado.

A Lot of Prominent Railroad Men Who Were Trained on the Wabash—Local Gossip.

Engineer Tony Kelker, of the Pittsburg, is in receipt of sad news from Denver, Col. Last Saturday, David Kelker, a nephew of Mr. Kelker, was making his usual trip as engineer over the Denver & Rio Grande road, when the side rod of the engine broke, came up through the cab floor and knocked the engineer against the head of the boiler, where he was held by some of the broken pipes and machinery until he was scalded to death by escaping steam. The unfortunate man was buried at Denver yesterday. He was the son of John Kelker, master mechanic of the Pueblo division of the Denver and Rio Grande road, who years ago, when the deceased was a lad, resided in this city. The bereaved father has many friends here who sympathize with him in the loss of his boy.

A GENEROUS DEED.

The Western Gas Construction company performed a very clever deed this afternoon when it gave to each of its employes a fine fat turkey and a quart of cranberries. It required nearly 100 fowls to go around. Such recognition from the employer makes the employe feel that his services are appreciated and he will ever afterwards look more closely to the interests of the employer, work harder and use economy in handling material. It pays to give presents occasionally.

WERE FORMERLY WABASH EMPLOYES.

Col. W. H. Blodgett, general solicitor of the Wabash, in a speech, at the banquet tendered Charles M. Hays, in St. Louis, on Saturday, gave an interesting review of men who are today high in railroad ranks, who did service on the Wabash. He said:

Today the traffic on over 25,000 miles of railroad—which is more than 20 per cent. of all the railroad mileage of the United States—is controlled by men who have grown up and largely learned their business on the Wabash. To recall them: W. F. Merrill left the Wabash to become general manager of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy; W. C. Van Horne became president and general manager of the Canadian Pacific; Roswell F. Miller, president and general manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; George W. Stevens, general manager of the Chesapeake and Ohio; C. H. Chappell, general manager of the Chicago and Alton; John M. Egan, general manager of the St. Paul, Kansas City & Omaha; G. W. Bradley, general manager of the West Shore; C. H. Ackert, general manager of the Joliet, Aurora and Eastern; Walter Marcum, general manager of the Denver and Fort Worth; K. H. Wade, general manager of the California Southern; George H. Nettleton, general manager of the Kansas City, Fort Scott and Memphis; C. K. Lord, vice president of the Baltimore and Ohio; A. C. Bird, general traffic manager of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul; H. C. Townsend, general passenger and ticket agent of the Missouri Pacific; John M. Chesbrough, general passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern; George H. Daniels, general passenger agent of the New York Central; L. M. Martin, general manager of the Iowa Central. Others have been called to participate in the affairs of government, both state and national. A few years ago a Wabash engineer (T. J. Hennessy) was called from his engine to become a railroad and warehouse commissioner of Missouri. And later a Wabash conductor (Joseph Flory) was called from his train to succeed the engineer. A Wabash man was taken from our shops at Springfield to become a railroad and warehouse commissioner in Illinois. William Kirkby, a Wabash conductor, has been for years the railroad commissioner of Ohio. In the legal department scores of our attorneys have been sent to congress. One (William Brown) left us to become general solicitor of the Chicago & Alton, and another (H. S. Priest) was made a federal judge. The present assistant attorney-general of Missouri (Morton Jourdan), the present assistant postmaster-general of the United States (Frank Jones), and the present assistant secretary of the treasury of the United States (Scott Wike,) were all Wabash men.

BRIEF MENTION.

Henry Waldo has taken a position in the Kerr Murray works.

Nickel Plate Conductor Brumbaugh is enjoying a holiday vacation.

Nickel Plate Brakeman Koepf has taken a lay off until after Christmas.

William Yates has gone to Burlington, Iowa, to assist in erecting a gas holder built by the Kerr Murray works.

A car load of machinery left the Bass works this morning for New Castle, Penn.

Car Inspector Frank Walpole, of the Nickel Plate, is unable to work on account of sickness.

Machinist Henry Riter, of the Bass works, is off duty on account of the death of a relative.

Albert Black, of the electric works, has gone to Albion, Ind., to visit his folks until after Christmas.

Benjamin Bowers has returned from Wooster, Ohio, and resumed his place in the Pittsburg lumber yards.

George White, of the Pittsburg shop clerical force, expects to go to Cincinnati tonight, to spend Christmas.

The Pittsburg wreck car and crew was at Nevada, Ohio, yesterday removing the debris of the wreck there.

L. M. Hubby, who died at Cleveland on Friday, was formerly president of the Bee line. He was eighty-four years old.

J. H. Bodson, general foreman at the Nickel Plate round house, is suffering with a bad cold, which confines him to his home.

C. Wybourn, employed at the east yard tin shop, reported for duty yesterday. He has been visiting relatives at Monroeville.

Conductor Chris Stemen and Brakeman O. O. Spayd, of the Nickel Plate, reported for duty yesterday, after a few days' absence.

Miss Emma Bearbaum, daughter of the Nickel Plate car inspector, went to Chicago yesterday to spend the holidays with friends.

On Friday last forty car loads of mail and express matter were sent west from Pittsburg over the Panhandle and Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago lines.

The Panhandle will build a new station at London, Ohio, similar to the one recently built at Piqua. The estimated cost of the station at London is $10,000.

J. Cleary, boilermaker in the Pittsburg shops, received a telegram from Lima, Ohio, yesterday afternoon, announcing the illness of a relative. He left for that point last night.

Freight officials are of the opinion that the condition of the grain market is such that a slight reduction in rates east bound should be made in order to bring about a healthy competition.

M. B. Pratt, for thirty-five years a passenger conductor on the Cleveland and Pittsburg, has been appointed freight and passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines at New Philadelphia.

G. A. Jantz, of the Wabash tin shop, is visiting in Toledo.

William Donnell, of the electric works, was taken sick this morning.

J. A. Dregan, of the Wabash boiler shop, is in Chicago to spend the holidays.

Blacksmith F. X. Miller, of the Pittsburg shops, is back from Lima and is working again.

W. W. Olmstead, of Master Mechanic F. W. Morse's office, is visiting in the vicinity of Peoria, Ill.

John Unger, flue welder at the Pittsburg shops, is on duty again, having returned from Chicago.

James T. Donahue, office boy for Foreman T. J. Rodabaugh at the Pittsburg shops, is sick and off duty.

Frank Meyers and William Hayes, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, went to Chicago today to spend Christmas.

Mrs. R. J. Develin, wife of the Wabash fireman, went to Huntington this morning to spend a week with friends.

Louis Altevogt is suffering from a severe attack of neuralgia and is absent from his usual place in the Bass shops.

Arch Lorch, of the Western Gas Construction works, went to Columbus, Ohio, today to remain over Xmas with friends.

Fred Armack has resigned a position at the Fort Wayne Iron works and gone to Brightwood, Ind., to work in the Big Four shops.

H. Roembke, a coach painter in the Pittsburg shops, came home from Chicago last night, after a three days' visit with friends in that city.

Machinist John Nolan, who recently disposed of his saloon on Lafayette street, has secured employment in the Big Four shops at Wabash.

C. E. Ellenwood, a fireman on the Pittsburg road, is detained at home by the sickness of his wife.

W. S. Wells, machinist in the Pittsburg shops, is confined to his home on Park avenue by sickness.

Mrs. S. A. Escott, mother of the Wabash fireman, is in Toledo to remain a few days with relatives.

Pittsburg engine 132 went into the shop this morning for repairs. Engine 153 was repaired and turned out.

Pittsburg Engineer Mike Kirby went to Cleveland today to see his sister, who he had not met for seven years.

R. W. Baker is sick and J. H. Nybour is incapacitated by a lame arm. Both are Pittsburg freight car builders.

John Stein, foreman of the laborers in the Pittsburg machine shop, resigned last night and will leave the city.

John Murphy, of the electric works, is entertaining his sister from Toledo and has taken a vacation for that purpose.

W. K. Gillett, who has several warm friends in Fort Wayne, has been re-elected traveling auditor of the Santa Fe road.

J. B. Oblinger, a car builder in the east shops, was injured yesterday while at work and will be unable to work for a few days.

Miss Lydia Doerman resumed her place in the electric works this morning, after an absence on account of the sickness of her sister.

George Wood, who was aiding in installing a plant at Nashville, Tenn., for the electric works, came home yesterday to spend Christmas

E. H. Porter, one of the electric works' construction men, came in off the road last night and will remain here until after the holidays.

Frank Opatz and George Schaefer, of the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, failed to put in an appearance today and it was feared that they were sick.

W. H. McGrath, mechanical engineer, who has charge of an electric lighting plant at New Orleans, is circulating among his Fort Wayne friends.

Howard Seibert, formerly of the electric works, called at that establishment yesterday to shake hands with the "boys" and wish them a "Merry Christmas." He was en route to Ohio to visit relatives. Howard is now stationed at Kendallville.

Gustave Rathert and William Goughty are new names on the electric light works' pay roll. They have been assigned to work in the metre department.

L. C. Asmussen, of Decatur, Ill., came here yesterday to work in the Wabash offices during the absence of Miss Emilie Tyler, the day telegraph operator.

J. J. Beugnot, who has been inspecting cars for the Pennsylvania company at Jeffersonville for some weeks, came home this morning to remain until next Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Miller and their daughter went to Chicago this morning to visit friends during the holidays. Mr. Miller is employed in the Pittsburg copper shop.

Foreman P. B. Bosworth, of the electric works, and his wife, accompanied John Woodward to Montgomery, Mich., today, to spend Christmas with the latter's parents.

Colonel Briant, of Huntington, this morning placed an order with the Bass Foundry and Machine works for a slide valve, high speed engine, to be delivered in three weeks.

E. B. Babcock, Pittsburg car inspector, had one of his feet bruised badly last night and will be unable to work for a few days. He cannot get the shoe upon the injured foot.

Henry Dammeyer, Peter Conroy, Joseph Carry, William Birely and Christian Bruns, who were on the sick list, reported at the Pittsburg blacksmith shop this morning, having recovered their health.

J. Christie, J. Clark and A. Burchard, of the Pittsburg planing mills, and J. Pageler and F. Thompson, of the lumber yards, failed to make their appearance at their respective places today. They are probably sick.

A notice that the shops would close at 6 o'clock tonight to open again Thursday morning was posted on the bulletin boards in the electric works. The employes have been working overtime and the holiday vacation comes as a boon to them.

There are symptoms of a serious freight blockade on the Nickel Plate, every locomotive the company owns being on the move constantly. To complicate matters a little the Grand Rapids road yesterday delivered to the Nickel Plate two train loads of flour from Minneapolis, en route to Buffalo. There were sixty-three car loads of the flour.

East bound shipments of dead freight out of Chicago last week were 90,677 tons, as compared with 83,906 for the preceding week, and 39,877 for the corresponding week last year.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO. Props., Toledo, O.

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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Puff Box AND A BOX OF **Pozzoni's Celebrated Complexion Powder**

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WANTED—Any one can borrow money on house furniture. See advertisement, front page, first column. 4-tf

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WANTED—Insurance agents. Two good Industrial Insurance agents. Fine opportunity for hard working men. Address, J. J. Beard, superintendent, 211 Main street, Lima, Ohio. 21-6t

WANTED—Parties to donate the following articles to the Y. W. C. A.: One step ladder, one door mat, few small tables, several new comforts, pictures, bookcases and rocking chairs. 19-1t

WANTED—An agent in every section to canvass; $4.00 to $5.00 a day made; sells at sight; also a man to sell Staple Goods to dealers; best side line $75 a month. Salary or large commissions made; experience unnecessary. Clifton Soap & Manufacturing Co., Cincinnati, O. a17-1y-wde

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply at 44 W. Washington St. 2-tf

FOR RENT—Suit of unfurnished front rooms, modern conveniences, at 100 East Berry street. tf

FOR RENT—Money to loan on house goods, etc. See advertisement first column first page. 16-tf

FOR RENT—A six-room cottage house at 27 Barr street. Inquire of Dr. Niswonger, 35 Calhoun street, city. 11tf

FOR RENT—House situated on West De Wald, near Calhoun. Inquire Rooms 27 and 28 Bank block, of A. H. Bittinger. 8tf

FOR RENT—On or before Dec. 18, dwelling No. 197 West Wayne street, modern improvements. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, No. 7 Court street. nv19-1m

FOR RENT—House 8 rooms, 325 E. Wayne street. House 7 rooms, No. 22 Broadway. Store room, No. 28 Clinton street. 8tf

FOR RENT—Handsome store rooms in the Trentman block; being divided into 20 foot front rooms; rents very reasonable. Apply, No. 72 West Wayne street. 18tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, second floor; will rent one or both to right parties cheap. Only two squares from court house. Apply at 106 East Main street. 21 2t

FOR RENT—Houses—Five-room frame cottage, 59 W. Main street; seven-room brick, 61 W. Main street, and seven-room frame, 128 Walton avenue. Inquire at 57 W. Main street. 11-tf

FOR SALE.

SHOW CASES | At Manufacturers' Prices, by G. E. Bursley & Co. 29-tf

FOR SALE—Money to loan on pianos, etc. See advertisement first page first column. 19-tf

FOR SALE—A Crane elevator as good as new. Suitable for a five story building. Inquire this office. tf

FOR SALE—A full line of grocery fixtures and grocery stock, stoves of all kinds and at all prices come and be convinced, at 246 Calhoun street. nv20-1m

LOST.

LOST—A diamond ring, one stone. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to Elizabeth T. Burgess, No. 179 West Jefferson street. 24-3t

PROFESSIONAL.

DOCTOR MARY WHERY

Office and Residence 26 Madison St. Specialty—Diseases of Women. Hours: 9 a. m. to 4 p. m., and 7 to 8 p. m. Telephone 120

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

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JAMES E. GRAHAM, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Abstractor of Titles. Insurance, Real Estate, Loan, Collecting and Rental Agent. Room 25 Bank Block. — Fort Wayne, Ind.

D. C. FISHER, Insurance, Real Estate, Loans. No. 81 East Berry street, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

S. C. LUMBARD, Insurance, Real Estate and Loans. Aveline House Block.

BANKS.

HAMILTON NATIONAL BANK. Capital $200,000. Surplus $[illegible]. The Hamilton National Bank will pay interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum on certificates of deposit if left four months. President—Charles McCulloch. Cashier—John Mohr, Jr.

White National Bank. Capital & Surplus, $250,000. Pays 3 per cent interest per annum on time deposits. Safe deposit boxes for rent at $5 per annum.

PHYSICIANS.

DR. WM. D. RUHL. Office and Residence 43 W. DeWald St. Telephone 271.

DR. B. GARD—To ladies suffering from ailments peculiar to their sex, may consult me free of charge at my office, 12 W. Wayne St. Telephone 98.

G. W. BOWEN, M. D., Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office hours for consultation, from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. Sundays, 8 to 12. Office No. 18 West Main street, Fort Wayne, Ind. Special attention paid to chronic diseases.

DRUGGIST.

GROSS & PELLENS. DRUGGISTS. Corner Calhoun and Wayne Sts. Phone 30

J. C. Peltier.

Undertaker and Embalmer. 17 West Wayne Street.

A. HATTERSLEY & SON, PLUMBERS! STEAM AND GAS FITTERS. 48 East Main Street. Fort Wayne, Ind.

SCHEUMAN & KLAEHN, Funeral Directors and Embalmers, No. 29 West Main Street, Fort Wayne, Ind. TELEPHONE—For night call, Nos. 73 and 188; for office, No. 224.

Domestic and White Sewing Machines for Holiday Trade.

There are good, bad and indifferent sewing machines. It is the cheapest to buy the best; that means the now improved Domestic or White, sold at 15 W. Wayne street; also two cheap machines, the Stirling and Queen, the Stirling at $24.75, the Queen at $22.75.

T. H. McQUILLAN, Agent.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

Cash paid for used Furniture, Carpets, Stoves. Entire Furniture of hotels or private residences a specialty.

BARGAIN STORE, 26 West Main Street

F. J. ZIMMERLY & CO. PRACTICAL PLUMBERS. Gas and Steam Fitters. 185 CALHOUN STREET.

MAKE MONEY — BY CAREFUL SPECULATION in Grain through a reliable, successful firm. Excellent opportunities to make profits by our new plans. Fully explained and sent free. Highest references. PATTISON & CO., 60 Omaha Building, Chicago, Ill.

Artistic BOOK BINDING, In Vellum, Levant, Morrocco, Calf and Russia.

BLANK BOOKS Of all kinds, with Perfect Flat Opener.

The Binding of Rare and Extra Illustrated Books one of our specialties.

+ THE + FT. WAYNE SENTINEL BINDERY, 14 W. Wayne St., + Ft. Wayne, Ind

Have You Seen the new Pozzoni Puff Box? It is given free with each box of Powder. Ask for it.

FREE DISPENSARY.

Open every day from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m., at the Fort Wayne College of Medicine, 100 W. Superior street. Medicine free to the poor. Patients too sick to come to the Dispensary will be visited at their homes.

The Pennsylvania Station.

Pennsylvania Lines.

Trains Run by Central Time. *Daily. †Daily, except Sunday.

Trains depart from Pennsylvania Station Fort Wayne, Ind.

[illegible timetable]

NICKEL PLATE. The New York, Chicago & St. Louis R.R. EFFECTIVE Nov. 24, 1895.

Chicago depot, Clark and 12th streets. Buffalo depot, Exchange and Michigan St. Nos. 5 and 6 and local freight, trains daily except Sunday. Other trains daily.

EAST.	Arr.	Dep.
N. Y. & Boston Ex. No. 2	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cleveland Mail No. 4	[illegible]	[illegible]
Eastern Express No. 6	[illegible]	[illegible]
Local Freight	[illegible]	[illegible]
WEST	**Arr.**	**Dep.**
Chicago Express No. 1	[illegible]	[illegible]
Chicago Mail No. 3	[illegible]	[illegible]
Western Express No. 5	[illegible]	[illegible]
Local Freight	[illegible]	[illegible]

Nos. 1 and 2 through drawing room and sleeping cars for Chicago. Nos. 1 and 2 drawing room sleeping cars through to New York and Boston. DINING CARS serve breakfast and dinner on Nos. 5 and 2, and supper on No. 4. No. 1, supper at Cleveland. Nos. 3 and 4, dinner at Ft. Wayne. No. 4, supper at Bellevue. Uniformed colored porters in charge of day coaches on through trains, insuring scrupulously clean cars enroute. Baggage checked through to destination. For rates and other information call on or address

H. F. Horner, Gen. Pass. Agt., Cleveland, O. A. W. Johnson, Gen. Supt., Cleveland, O. M. C. Baker, District Pass. Agt., Ft. Wayne.

The Wabash Line.

SCHEDULE OF MAY 20, 1894.

GOING EAST.	GOING WEST.
4:45 a. m.*	8:03 a. m.*
6:00 a. m.†	1:35 p. m.†
1:15 p. m.†	3:30 p. m.†
7:13 p. m.*	8:30 p. m.*

Lafayette Accom. arrive 11:00 a. m.† *Daily. †Except Sunday.

FINDLAY, FORT WAYNE & WESTERN RAILROAD.

STATIONS.

Leave	EAST.		
Ft. Wayne Mail	8 15 am	3:45 pm	7 00 am
Haviland	9 10 am	3 57 pm	8 07 am
Cloverdale	12 40 am	4 26 pm	8 37 am
Ottawa	2 22 am	5 01 pm	9 15 am
Toledo (C. H. & D.)		7 15 pm	11 05 am
Findlay	3 55 am	6 45 pm	10 00 am
Arrive	**WEST.**		
Ft. Wayne Mail	10 45 am	7 15 pm	[illegible]
Haviland	9 [illegible] am	6 07 pm	[illegible]
Cloverdale	9 08 am	5 38 pm	12 40 pm
Ottawa	8 30 am	5 10 pm	11 05 pm
Toledo (C. H. & D.)	6 45 am	6 10 pm	
Findlay	7 45 am	4 55 pm	1 45 pm

Trains arrive and depart from Wabash station, Fort Wayne. All trains daily except Sundays.

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA R. R.

GOING NORTH.	LEAVE.
*For Grand Rapids and North	2.20 am
	8.15 am
	3.55 pm
From Richmond	6.50 pm
SOUTHBOUND.	
*For Richmond and Cincinnati	11.45 pm
	5.45 am
	1.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	7.15 pm
From Grand Rapids	11.25 pm

*Daily. All other trains daily except Sunday.

LAKE SHORE & MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY—Fort Wayne Branch

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 48 Way Freight	[illegible] pm
No. 49 Cin. Express and Mail	10 [illegible] am
No. 10 Detroit & Ind'pls Express	[illegible] pm
NORTHWARD.	**DEPART.**
No. 46 Way Freight	[illegible] am
No. 41 Through Express and Mail	11 [illegible] am
No. 13 Detroit & Indianapolis Ex.	[illegible]

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

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THIS IS

ROOT & COMPANY'S

Greeting

TO ALL.

WE EXTEND

Hearty thanks to every one in this city and vicinity for the largest patronage ever given in a Holiday season.

This Store Will be Closed All Day Christmas.

ROOT & COMPANY.

EVERYBODY GOES TO

THE PANTITORIUM,

To have their Clothing CLEANED, PRESSED, DYED and REPAIRED. Call up telephone 60 and they will call for your work.

16 ARCADE,

Miss JENNIE HAVERLY, Prop.

Last Friday the quail hunting limitation ceased, and until next November hunters must govern themselves accordingly, if they would not come within the arm of the law.

MONEY TO LOAN

On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, rooms 6 and 7 Bass Block. 2tf

Opal Rings at Voirol's.

A quartet of Lilliputians, composed of Count Magri and wife, Baron Magri, the count's brother, and Miss Quigley passed through the city yesterday, en route to Evansville. The midgets were entertained while in the city by Commodore Foote.

YULE TIDE GIFTS!

We are showing an elegant assortment of Holiday Presents that will please any man or boy in Fort Wayne. Look over this list carefully and then step in and see the assortment and prices.

Smoking Jackets, Gloves, Neckwear, Knit Jackets, Underwear, Plush Caps, Umbrellas, Jewelry, Collars AND Cuffs.

Boys' Leggings, Overcoats, Suits, Reefers, Mackintoshes, Jersey Coats, Corduroy Vests, Hosiery, Suspenders, Mufflers.

ANY SUIT OR OVERCOAT

In our house, no matter if price be $18, $20, $22 or $25, goes now for

$15.00

SPECIAL!

We are selling juvenile books that are worth $1.00; to customers of our store for 19 CENTS. See them displayed in our cases.

Sam, Pete & Max.

The Evening Sentinel.

TUESDAY, DEC. 24, 1895

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office..........No. 173.
Editorial Rooms..........No. 660.

Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—For Indiana—Rain, probably changing to snow Wednesday evening; colder Wednesday night; colder in northern portion Wednesday evening; winds shifting to easterly.

NEWS NOTES.

There will be no classes at the Y. M. C. A. this week.

Tomorrow being Christmas the People's Store will be closed all day.

Mrs. A. E. Waterhouse and Master Ellsworth left for Chicago yesterday.

Mrs. W. N. Brudi, of the north side, who has been ill, is rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Goodman, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Morgentheim.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McDonald, of Chicago, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George DeWald.

Mrs. Oswald Stahn and daughter, Giralda, are home from Indianapolis to spend the holidays.

Messrs. Williard Collie and E. G. Davis leave today for northern Michigan to spend the holidays.

Miss Tillie Hoffman, of this city, has gone to Decatur to spend Christmas with her parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fisher leave tomorrow for a four weeks' trip in California.

The Bethany church Sunday school will give an entertainment this evening entitled, "The Light of the Christmas Star."

The Delta Sigma Nu have issued invitations for a dance to be given Friday evening, Dec. 27, at the Fort Wayne club.

Mrs. George Wilson, of No. 42 Home avenue, has received a large turkey and a fine roll of butter from Mt. Sterling, Ky., as a Christmas present.

The daughter of Henry Geerken, who has been sick for many months, was worse yesterday and Mr. Geerken has been kept from his duties to the Pittsburg shops since.

Mrs. William F. Graham, of 23 Van Buren street, left last evening on No. 8 for an extended eastern visit to relatives and friends, residing in Tyrone, Williamsport and Montgomery, Pa.

There will be an old fashioned Christmas tree and entertainment at Christ's Evangelical Lutheran church in the Y. M. C. A. building Christmas eve. Everybody invited. Admission free.

At the Church of Sacred heart, at Notre Dame, last Saturday, Rev. William J. Houlihan, of South Bend, and Rev. Thomas J. Corbett, of Newark, N. J.; were ordained priests by the Rt. Rev. Joseph Rademacher.

Professor and Mrs. C. T. Lane and small children left today for Jackson, Mich. Messrs. Elmer and Ralph Lane will follow them tomorrow and they will be the guests of Mrs. Lane's brother, Charles Bloomfield, during the holidays.

The street car company will run cars until 12 o'clock tonight to accommodate the holiday shoppers. Extra cars will also be run on all the lines, and ten minute trips will be reduced to six, in order that the people will not be compelled to wait.

Dr. F. J. McOscar has returned from Andrews, where he was at the bedside of William Greer, the well known Wabash engineer, who has been quite ill. The doctor states that the sick man is improving. He is a brother of Mr. Tom Greer, of the county auditor's office.

Miss Dollye Schafer, of this city, gave a most successful elocutionary and delsartean pantomine entertainment at Williamsport last evening for the benefit of the M. E. church of that place. The patronage was very liberal in spite of the rainy weather and all left feeling well repaid for having braved the weather.

Melvin Brunner will arrive in the city tonight, to be the guest of friends during the holidays. Mr. Brunner was formerly cashier of the Fort Wayne branch of the Standard Wheel works and is well known and quite popular with our young people. He is now residing at Brazil, Ind., and engaged in the iron business

The board of public works, at yesterday afternoon's meeting, received sealed proposals from the newspapers to publish the council proceedings during the coming year. Only two competitors appeared, the Gazette and Evening Post. The latter was the lowest bidder, coming under the Gazette by a bid of 6½ cents. The Gazette's proposal was 9 7-10 cents. The board has the matter under advisement.

The Crescent Paper mill, at Hartford City, was sold under direction of the court by Mr. S. C. Lumbard yesterday. Mr. R. T. McDonald, of this city, was the highest bidder and bought in the mill and all fixtures for $19,000. The property is one of the finest in the country, but has had an unfortunate career. Mr. McDonald intends, it is said, to place it on a solid financial basis, and make it a paying property. A company of Fort Wayne gentlemen accompanied Mr. McDonald to Hartford City and attended the sale.

Oysters, Celery and Cranberries for Christmas.

Large Selects for Frying 27c; Standards, 20c.

Michigan Celery, large bunches, 25c.

Best Cape Cod Cranberries, quart, 10c.

Malaga Grapes, extra nice, lb, 18c.

Sweet Jamaica Oranges, dozen, 35c.

Valencia Oranges, dozen, 25c.

Malaga Oranges, small, 15c dozen.

FRUIT HOUSE.

Opal rings at TRENKLEY & SCHLESINGER'S.

C. A. Munson, of Chicago, is in the city.

John E. Housh will return to Indianapolis tomorrow.

Tomorrow being Christmas, the Fruit House will be closed all day.

C. L. Drummond and family will spend Christmas at Huntington.

Mrs. Bertha Hunt is the guest of friends and relatives in Hartford City.

Miss Cornelia Wilding, society editress of the News, has gone to Chicago to spend Christmas with friends.

Mrs. J. S. Glenn and daughter, Miss Anna, of Huntington, were in the city yesterday, doing their holiday shopping.

Mr. Merch Baldwin will take the place of Willard Collie in the Nickel Plate dispatcher's office during the latter's vacation in Michigan.

There will be a union meeting at the Third Presbyterian church tomorrow morning at 6:30 o'clock, of all the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League societies of the city.

In the superior court this morning Judge Dawson refused to grant a new trial to Harvey Tracy in his libel case against THE SENTINEL. This case was decided in favor of THE SENTINEL some time ago.

T. C. Armstrong, of the Pennsylvania lines at Logansport, has a time table and book of rules which the Pennsylvania lines were operated under in 1864. He has sent them to Philadelphia to be used in compiling a history of the company.

The Pennsylvania company has advertised for bids for the reconstruction and widening of several of its tunnels, beginning with the smaller ones. The company wishes to build larger cars and locomotives and the tunnels must be enlarged before such equipment can be used.

E. A. Ford, general passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg and the Vandalia, on Friday had all the assistant general and district passenger agents together in Chicago. Mr. Ford complimented his lieutenants on the good work they had done in 1895, the revenue from passenger service of the lines having been highly satisfactory.

Telephone your order for ice cream to F. W. Geller. Broadway's confectioner.

Order your cakes for the holidays from the Model Steam Bakery. A large assortment always on hand, made from the best materials, such as genuine Fruit Cake, Nut Cake, all kinds of layer Cakes, Lady Cake, Angel Food, Cream Puffs, Agglers, Almond Sticks, Fruit Sticks and Seed Cakes, Macaroons, etc. All first class grocers are selling Scherer's fine Cakes. 'Phone 328. 23 24

Diamonds at Voirol's.

This Morning.

We received another fresh supply of Huyler's and Gunther's Choice Confections for Christmas.

A. J. KELLER'S
New Pharmacy,
Corner of Calhoun street and Washington boulevard.

For holiday presents call at J. C. Keegel, Broadway Jeweler. 30eodtf

Some of H. F. Bohnelker's fine imported Herford cattle for Christmas beef for sale at F. Eckart's meat market, corner Main and Harrison streets. 23t2

Fort Wayne Club Members.

Don't forget to send acceptances, giving name and age of your children or wards who will attend the children's reception December 30.

Invitations were mailed to every member a week ago.

HOUSE COMMITTEE.

Notice is hereby given to the congregation of the Church of Christ, (Christian church,) of Fort Wayne, Indiana, corner of Jefferson and Griffith streets, and to the elders and deacons of said church and to all other members whom it may concern, that an election of a board of five trustees for said church will be held on Monday, December 30th, 1895, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., of said day, at the church house of said congregation, on southeast corner of Jefferson and Griffith streets aforesaid, December 17th, 1895.

By order of the church,

18 21 24 P. J. RICE, Pastor.

No Christmas dinner complete without some of Geller's ices.

Call and see the Club Cycle Wagons at Randall Cycle Co.

Fine Clocks at Voirol's.

If you wish the latest and best authority in pronunciation and definition get the "Standard Dictionary." It defines 75,000 more words than the Century and gives all the leading authorities on disputed pronunciation. You can leave your orders at Lehman's Book Store, 31 Calhoun street. Those wishing to examine the work please address "Standard Dictionary Agency," Fort Wayne. 21-24

Gold Spectacles at Voirol's.

A. C. AURENTZ'S

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—Headquarters for—

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CANDIES

The only Exclusive Candy House in the City.

A. C. AURENTZ,

18 W. Berry St.

For a Nice Christmas Present,

Go to the Sportsman's Emporium, 58 East Main street, and select a Canary bird and cage.

JOHN TRAUTMAN,
Proprietor.
21,24

Watch, Clock and Jewelry repairing a specialty at 173 Broadway. 30eodtf

The finest ices at Gellers.

Use White Loaf Flour and your bread will always be moist.

Ladies buy their Pipes for Christmas presents at Belott's, 82 Calhoun street. 18tf

DO NOT FORGET

We are headquarters for Poultry, Celery, Oysters, Nuts and Candies for Xmas trade. Investigate our prices before buying elsewhere.

C. E. NOBLE & Co.,
No. 250 Calhoun Street.
Phone 441. 21t3

REMEMBER!

GLOBE MILLS

CREAM FLOUR

IS ALWAYS

UNIFORM AND GOOD

See Voirol before buying.

All flavors of ice creams and ices at Gellers. Order early.

Gold Eye Glasses at Voirol's.

Grand Ball and the comedy "Under a Cloud" by the Schroeder Comedy Co. at Schroeder's Hall Christmas night. Admission: Ladies, 10 cents; gentlemen, 25 cents. 23 2t

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We received another fresh supply of Huyler's and Gunther's Choice Confections for Christmas.

A. J. KELLER'S,
New Pharmacy,
Corner of Calhoun street and Washington boulevard.

Sterling silver curling irons at TRENKLEY & SCHLESINGER'S.

For fine ice creams and ices, Geller's is the place to order.

Gold Watches at Voirol's.

Ladies, if you want to make your husbands and sweethearts happy, buy them a nice Pipe or some fine Cigars for Christmas at Belott's, 82 Calhoun street. 18tf

Watch chains at Voirol's.

Buy a flexible flyer coaster for your boy for Christmas. All steel runners; last a lifetime. Closing out our stock of sleds at 20 per cent. off.

th.s.m RANDALL CYCLE CO.

Silverware at Voirol's.

Boys' and Girls' Club Cycle Wagons at Randall Cycle Co., 31 West Berry street. 18tf

Finest chocolates in the city, at the Chicago bakery. 12tf

Swan fountain pens at TRENKLEY & SCHLESINGER'S.

William Malle would be pleased to see all of his friends in the city at the Randall hotel cigar stand tomorrow.

A new idea in umbrella markers at TRENKLEY & SCHLESINGER'S.

See Voirol for prices.

Silver knives and forks at Voirol's.

This Morning

We received another fresh supply of Huyler's and Gunther's Choice Confections for Christmas.

A. J. KELLER'S
New Pharmacy,
Corner of Calhoun street and Washington boulevard.

Turquoise rings at TRENKLEY & SCHLESINGER'S.

FOR

THE HOLIDAYS,

For China Dinner and Toilet Sets, Banquet and Hanging Lamps, Novelties, White China to Decorate, Cut Glass, Jardinieres and Cups, Saucers and Plates, etc. The largest and best selected stock in the city, call on

M. F. KAAG,

No. 5 E. Columbia St.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE,

WILL BE CLOSED

ALL DAY TOMORROW

CHRISTMAS DAY.

Commencing Thursday Morning the Balance of our Stock of

- HOLIDAY GOODS -

Will be sold at the following

GREATLY REDUCED Prices.

All 25c goods reduced to 19c.
All 50c goods reduced to 35c.
All 75c goods reduced to 50c.
All $1.00 goods reduced to 75c.

All higher priced goods reduced in the same proportion.

A Rare Chance to buy New Year's Gifts Cheap.

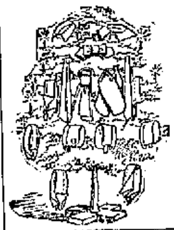
ONE PRICE TO ALL.

BEADELL & CO.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

Best Lighted Store in the City.

Christmas + Niceties



FOR MEN.

Neckwear,
Umbrellas, Hats,
Smoking Jackets,
Mackintoshes.

Skates and Caps given FREE with Children's Clothing.

GOLDEN & PATTERSON,

Leaders of Fashion.

AN XMAS Suggestion,

We are displaying a handsome line of

NECKWEAR,
GLOVES,
HATS.

And in fact everything in the Gents' Furnishing Line.

Just received—a handsome line of Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas, suitable for Christmas Presents.

W. A. MEYER,

Cor. Broadway & Jefferson St.

Empire Theatre.

West Main Street.

TONIGHT

GILMORE'S Oceanic Star Combination.

No Advance in Prices.

ADMISSION 10 CENTS.

2 CHRISTMAS SHOWS 2

AFTERNOON and EVENING.

We Have a Large Line of

+ GAMES +

and CHILDREN'S TOY BOOKS.

In order to close them out quickly we are now offering them at . . . .

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Lehman Book and News Company, 31 Calhoun St.

$50 to $50,000 to loan on farm and city property or personal security.

J. F. SCHELL & CO.,
24-25-26-27 Pixley Block.
Fort Wayne, Ind.
Telephone 485.

Fresh Cut Flowers,

Wild Smilax, Pine Needles, Grey Moss, Holly and Palms.

Vesey's Greenhouses,

86 Thompson Ave. Telephone No. 221

One, Two, Three, Four,

Five, Six, Seven, Eight, Nine, Ten, Eleven, Twelve, Thirteen, Fourteen, Fifteen, Sixteen, Seventeen, Eighteen, Nineteen, Twenty, Twenty-one, Twenty-two, Twenty-three, Twenty-four, Twenty-five, Twenty-six, Twenty-seven, Twenty-eight, Twenty-nine, Thirty, Thirty-one, Thirty-two, Thirty-three, Thirty-four different styles of Onyx Top, Gold Finished, Brass Stands, for the Holiday Trade. Come in and select one before the assortment is broken.

FOSTER'S.

The Greatest Holiday Hit of All.

GOOD GOODS, Plenty of Them. LOW PRICES.

All that is new in—

TOYS, BOOKS, NOVELTIES, FANCY GOODS.

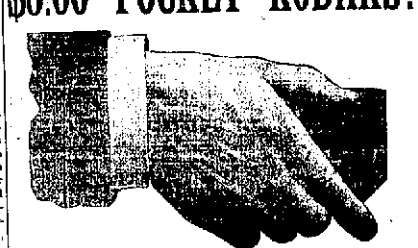
We have sufficient variety to insure an easy choice.

SIEMON & BRO.

50 Calhoun St.

For Christmas

$5.00 POCKET KODAKS!



At M. L. JONES,

44 Calhoun St. -- Second Floor.

See Display in Globe Clothing House Window.

The Most Complete . . .

Line of Table Delicacies and Luxuries for Holiday Trade found in the City.

Alemeria Grapes.
Florida Oranges.
Mexican Oranges.
Messina Oranges.
Very Fancy New York Apples
Fine New Nuts.
Grenoble Walnuts.
Tarragona Almonds.
Pecans.
Filberts.
Brazil Nuts.
Jordan Shelled Almonds.
Valencia Shelled Almonds.
Finest Malaga Cluster Table Raisins.
Valencia Cluster Table Raisins
California Cluster Table Raisins.

CANDIES and CONFECTIONS

Preserves—finest possible to produce.
Whole Fruits in Brandy.
Fruits in Heavy Syrup.
Jams, Jellies, Marmalade.
Olives—finest.
Canned Vegetables.
Macedoine.
French Peas.
French Mushrooms.
Asparagus, "whole."
Asparagus, "tips."
Wax Beans.
String Beans.
Corn, Tomatoes, &c., &c.
Fresh Vegetables.
Oysters.
Poultry.

And the Very Best of Fresh Meats, Smoked Meats, &c., &c., in fact, everything to Satiate the Appetite of the most Fastidious Epicures, at * * * * * *

PFEIFFER & ROUSSEAU,

40-41 West Berry St. —— Phone 378.

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Pocket-Cutlery, Razors & Shears, CARVING-SETS.

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Prices That Will Suit You.

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